Weather
Unsettled weather. Intermittent showers. The maximum temperature yesterday was 78.3 and the minimum 69.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 81.9 and 70.7.

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BOARD OF 20 TO ORGANISE ALL CHINESE RATEPAYERS

Committee Appointed To Unite Voters At Mass Meeting

IT MAY EXPAND

Empowered To Add To Its Number From Bodies Yet Unrepresented

AIMS OUTLINED

New Association Will Seek Representation On Council

A provisional committee of 20 to organise a permanent body of the Chinese rate-payers in Shanghai was created at a meeting called yesterday by the Federated Street Unions at the Y.M.C.A. One hundred and twenty-three representatives from about 30 organisations attended. By unanimous consent, Mr. Chen Tse-ming, president of the Federated Street Unions, presided.

The committee, which will temporarily establish its headquarters at 13 Avenue Edward VII, will be entrusted with the work of planning and calling a general meeting of qualified Chinese voters in the near future for the purpose of inaugurating a formal society for the Chinese voters.

IS PRELIMINARY STEP

Yesterday's meeting was only of a preparatory nature and decided that the new body would be the only competent organisation to nominate the board of five advisors, created by the recent foreign ratepayers' meeting. It was pointed out that no organisation, under the present circumstance, could possibly undertake the work of election.

The committee elected yesterday will be empowered to admit representatives from organisations which were not officially represented at the meeting. It was pointed out that the committee expects the best co-operation from all the organisations in Shanghai.

Mr. Chen, in his opening remarks, said that the meeting was historical, although he wished it to be confined to a preparatory nature. He pointed out that during the 70-odd years since the establishment of the International Settlement, there never had been a single Chinese ratepayers' meeting. He hoped that through this meeting, a fair and representative organisation of the ratepayers would be inaugurated.

REVIEWS STEPS TAKEN

After reviewing the movement of Chinese residents here for representation on the Municipal Council, the speaker urged that the offer of the Municipal Council to create a committee of five Chinese advisors should be accepted, although the offer was not the final goal of the movement for representation. It served, however, as a preliminary step towards genuine representation, which necessitates the revision of the land regulations. He further hoped that the diplomatic corps in Peking will sanction the revision as drafted by a committee of the Street Union and chopped by practically all the organisations in Shanghai.

Mr. Chen then gave the reasons why the Street Union undertook to call the meeting. He traced the action of the Municipal Council in addressing its invitation to the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, which after two months of deliberation, decided to extend the privilege of voting and election to the merchant class only.

Opposition was then apparent among the members of Cantonese and Ningpo Guilds, two of the most influential societies of the port, he said. Their contention is that there are many ratepayers who are not members of any of the guilds or of the chamber and that they should not be excluded from participating in the election.

EXPLAINS MOTIVES

In deference to popular requests, the Federated Street Unions decided to call this meeting, which, Mr. Chen said, should not be interpreted as an act of the union to usurp the power or privilege of any other body. His organisation itself is not competent to be representative of all the ratepayers, he admitted, but there is no organisation at present that can be representative. It was for the purpose of establishing such a representative organisation that the meeting was called.

Dr. F. C. Tong, after pointing out the incapability of any single organisation to represent all the ratepayers, moved that a committee be appointed to devise

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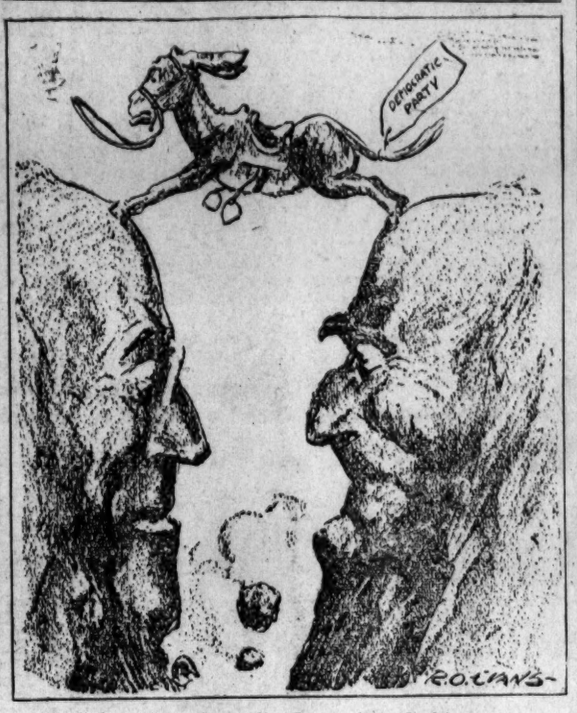

Mr. Wilson—Come Over! Mr. Bryan—Come Back!
(or vice versa)

EXTENDS GRANT OF VICTORIA CROSS TO CIVILIAN CORPS

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 19.—The London Gazette published a royal warrant, providing for the award of the Victoria Cross to civilians of either sex, connected with the Army. Women nurses and members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps are eligible.

The warrant further provides for the grant of the Victoria Cross to one officer, one non-commissioned officer and one man of a unit, distinguishing itself collectively, the recipients to be selected by ballot amongst their comrades.

Similar provisions are also made for the Navy.

JAP COLONEL IS FRANKLY ANXIOUS

Says Siberia Must Soon Either Consolidate Or Break Up

("*Russia*" *News Agency*)

Vladivostok, June 18.—Interviewed here today, Colonel Isome, chief of the Japanese Military Mission in Vladivostok, stated:

"Peace negotiations in Verhneudinsk have been temporarily suspended.

"Japan is anxious to see the unification, in the shortest time possible, of all the Russian Far Eastern districts into a state with a democratic government, not based upon the principles of Soviet rule established in it.

"All political parties must enjoy equal privileges."

SUGGESTS CAUCUS

The Colonel further suggested the advisability of convoking an assembly made up of representatives of all the Far Eastern districts and states.

The opinion prevails in Japan, said Colonel Isome, that the Vladivostok Government is the most effective one, and that it has been well organised. Japan, he said, will no longer support Semenoff.

The Japanese Government maintains a friendly attitude toward the Vladivostok provisional parliament.

The buffer state will hardly be recognised by Japan, owing to the fact that it maintains political relations with Russia; but business like relations with this state will be established.

Drygoods King Arrested As A U.S. Profiteer

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, June 19.—Mr. Frederick Gimbel, vice-president of Gimbel Bros., one of the largest department stores in the United States, was arrested today on a charge of profiteering in clothing.

GOMPERS AGAIN PRESIDENT OF U.S. LABOR ASS'N

(*Reuter's Service*)

Montreal, June 18.—Mr. Gompers was today unanimously re-elected President of the American Federation of Labor.

Montreal, June 20.—The American Federation of Labor Congress adjourned today after endorsing the League of Nations without reservations, in spite of the opposition of sympathisers with Ireland, during a stormy debate.

The program of the convention contains the following demands: The ratification of the Peace Treaty, Government ownership, with democratisation, of railroads, a curb on profiteering and the high cost of living, the imprisonment of food and clothing profiteers, and the endorsement of the Irish Republic.

Wilson Blames Republicans For Treaty Embroglio

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, June 18.—President Wilson, in the course of an interview, declared that the Republicans were responsible for any bad effects of the failure of the Senate to ratify the Treaty of Versailles and the Covenant of the League of Nations.

"The Republican leaders," he added, "have sacrificed every principle, that made the movement eight years ago attractive, in order to gratify their ambition to prevent Americans from fulfilling their honest obligations to the world."

Canada At Odds On Jap Question

(*Reuter's Service*)

Vancouver, June 19.—The Government of British Columbia has decided not to agree to the demand of the Canadian Dominion Government for the cancellation of the clause in the Provincial Government's contracts, prohibiting the employment of Japanese in public works or in connection with mining and timber leases.

The question has been referred to the Provincial Court of Appeal, preparatory to an appeal to the Privy Council.

Bochkaroff Men Kill Three More

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Vladivostok, June 21.—A telegram from Iman states that M. Utkin, the Russian representative on the Japanese-Russian Armistice Commission, his secretary and one militiaman were killed by Cossacks under General Bochkaroff, Ataman Kalmikoff's former lieutenant, in the railway-car of the Japanese General Seroodsu (?) in the absence of the latter.

IRISH-AMERICANS IN RUCTION OVER POLITICAL FUND

Lloyd George Compares Today's Situation With Lincoln's Predicament In '61

ENGLAND IS OBDURATE

Railway Men Refuse To Make Any Concessions In Munitions Debate

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, June 19.—The statement of the newspaper, the Gaelic American, that $50,000, subscribed in America for Sinn Fein bonds, has been used to send a "nondescript aggregation of individuals" to Chicago to secure the Irish plank to the Republican platform, is regarded as marking an open breach between de Valera and the "Friends of Irish Freedom."

OFFICIAL REPORT

London, June 19.—The official report of the meeting between the deputation of the National Union of Railwaymen and the Irish railwaymen with Mr. Lloyd George to urge the cessation of the despatch of munitions to Ireland, was published today.

According to the report, the Premier said that the Government would never agree to an independent Irish Republic, unless absolutely beaten on their own ground.

The Premier drew an analogy between Ireland and America. He said that Lincoln faced a million casualties in a five years' war rather than acknowledge the independence of the Southern States and the British Government would do the same thing, if necessity arose.

NO EXPENSE SPARED

If arms, munitions and battalions were necessary to protect the men, representing democratic Government in Ireland, these would be sent. The Government asked Ireland to come into co-partnership with the English, the Welsh and the Scots. That was not an insult to Ireland.

The Government was very ready to discuss the problem with any body of representative men of Ireland but the present deputation was unable to give effective guarantees that outrages would be stopped. If the railwaymen of Ireland declined to permit the Government to carry out its functions, then the responsibility of paralysing the whole traffic of Ireland must rest on them.

The discussion was sometimes heated and at one time Mr. Bonar Law declared that there was no coersion of opinion in Ireland there was only coersion of crime.

OUTWIT REBELS

London, June 20.—In consequence of the Sinn Fein boycott of the police, extraordinary scenes were enacted in County Leitrim yesterday.

Constables, armed with revolvers, raided the food shops and dairies and commandeered supplies for which they paid. The swiftness of the raid outwitted the Sinn Feiners.

WILL NOT GIVE IN

London, June 20.—Mr. J. H. Thomas, the railwaymen's leader, speaking at Scarboro today, said that the Irish railwaymen who had had an interview with the Prime Minister had decided that whatever the consequences, they would not give way.

Mr. Thomas added that if Ireland were running with blood next week, and the military succeeded in exterminating the railwaymen, there would still remain the Irish problem to be solved.

He asked the Irish workers to realise the consequences of starting to fight against machine-guns and militarism. Trade unionists and the Government, Mr. Thomas concluded, had national obligations.

MUCH FIGHTING

London, June 20.—Yesterday evening and in the early hours of this morning there was fighting between Unionists and Sinn Feiners at Londonderry on an unprecedented scale, bands armed with revolvers and rifles firing for hours.

Directly the troops stopped fighting in one quarter, it recommenced in another. Two shops were burned. The Sinn Feiners drove off the firemen and dragged the fire-engine to the Sinn Fein headquarters.

The total casualties are estimated at 100, including a number of killed.

WRANGEL ADVANCING

(*Reuter's Service*)

Constantinople, June 19.—General Wrangel's center and right are continuing to advance while his left remains stationary, resting on the Dnieper. A considerable extent of territory has been re-captured with 1,000 prisoners.

MONEY REFORM IN SIBERIA IS NOW EXPLAINED

Experts Give Detailed Description Of New Currency System

NEW ISSUE OF ROUBLES

Secured On Gold Basis, Zemstvo Currency Is Beyond Reproach

(*Russia News Agency*)

Shanghai, June 22.—One of the most difficult problems for the democratic Zemstvo Government to solve, in its constructive work, was the regulation of the money system.

The Siberian paper money was constantly decreasing in value during Kolchak's dictatorship, as money was printed without any heed of the gold fund back of it.

Another reason for the desperate decline of the Siberian rouble at that time was the unrestricted speculation of the Japanese banks in Russian money in Vladivostok. Although speculation was practised by other foreign banks, and even Russian banks, the chief speculators were Japanese.

This is the reason why the yen was going up in terms of roubles more than any other foreign money.

MONEY NULLIFIED

After the fall of the Kolchak government the money issued by it was nullified by the Soviets in Western Siberia. Since then there has been an enormous influx of this money into Eastern Siberia—mainly Vladivostok—where the notes had at least some value.

With the increase of the amount of paper money in Vladivostok the value naturally was coming down still more.

But the worst factor in the decline of the Russian rouble to a catastrophic stage was the attempted coup by the Japanese in the Primorskaya Province.

The Zemstvo Government was preparing the financial reform beginning in March; but the above mentioned coup destroyed its plans and delayed the reform until now.

The fundamental basis of the financial reform of the Zemstvo Government, announced officially on June 5, is security by a gold fund.

BACKED BY GOLD

The Government announces that the new money (printed in America) is backed by an inviolable fund of 70,867,000 roubles in gold. The whole issue of the new money is equal to 150,000,000 roubles; so that the gold fund

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WU TING-FANG IS WARNED TO LEAVE JAPAN

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, June 22.—Dr. Wu Ting-fang has been warned under threat by one of his fellow-countrymen in Kobe to leave Japan immediately.

Plight Of Chinese Is Taken Up By Foreign Chambers

Committees Of British And American Commercial Bodies In Session

What policy is to be adopted by the British and American Chambers of Commerce in response to the appeal of the organisation composed of Chinese importers, who have said they face widespread bankruptcy if they must carry out pending contracts at current rates of exchange, is not yet known. Special committees of the British and American Chambers met yesterday afternoon to discuss the situation and formulate a reply to communications addressed to the two foreign commercial bodies by the Chinese importers.

According to estimate of the organisation of importers, the Chinese stand to lose Taels 60,000,000 in the fiscal year if existing contracts must be carried out at prevailing exchange rates. This, they assert, means bankruptcy for many of their number and to avert it, their present aim is to obtain extension of time for fulfillment of contracts being carried out and cancellation of contracts entered into subsequent to January 1 last in cases in which shipments have not yet begun to be made.

"Nicky" Arnstein And The Cause Of His Return

"Nicky" Arnstein, alleged master mind in the $5,000,000 bond theft conspiracy, and his baby who, he declares, along with his wife, Fannie Brice, is the real cause of his return to New York. Arnstein had led the New York police a merry chase for several months, during most of which time he was in Pittsburgh, and only returned to New York and surrendered to the authorities because he "could not stay away, from my wife and baby." This photograph of Arnstein and Baby Frances was made in the Arnstein home in New York.

GERMANS MUST SPEED UP, SAYS ALLIED BOARD

Britain And France Are Both Dissatisfied With Way Teutons Pay Bills

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 20.—An official communique on the subject of the Hythe conference between Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand states that the French Government have accepted the view of the British Government that the rate at which the German Government are carrying into execution the clauses of the Treaty of Versailles, which relate to disarmaments, are unsatisfactory.

It was therefore agreed to recommend to the Inter-Allied Conference at Boulogne that the Allied Military advisers be instructed to concert at once proposals for the acceleration of the execution of the clauses of the treaty of peace dealing with German armaments, both men and material.

MUST REDUCE

Paris, June 20.—The Conference of Ambassadors have arrived at decisions on the question of the disarmament of Germany, in accordance with the decisions of the Inter-Allied Military Committee, which will be communicated to the heads of governments at the Boulogne Conference.

It is understood that the decisions provide for a reduction of the German army to 100,000 by July 10, in accordance with the Peace Treaty.

EXPLAIN CAUCUS

Paris, June 20.—It is explained that the conference between Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand at Hythe is necessitated by the fact that the Anglo-French conference at Boulogne is being transformed into an Inter-Allied conference and requires preliminary conversations between the French and the British on the questions of the indemnities and reparations, payable by Germany.

ENVOYS ARRIVE

Boulogne, June 21.—Mr. Lloyd George, M. Millerand, Marshal Foch, M. Marsal, French Minister of Finance; M. Venizelos, Lord Curzon, Mr. Austen Chamberlain and Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson have arrived for the Inter-Allied conferences.

U.S. Airman Sinks "Red" Troopship

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, June 20.—It is announced that the Polish military authorities have confirmed the report of the destruction of a Bolshevik troopship by an American aviator of the Kosciusko squadron during the Ukrainian drive, which resulted in the capture of Kiew. The airman was Lieutenant G. M. Crawford of Wilmington, Delaware.

Hoover For G.O.P.; McAdoo Refuses To Be Candidate

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, June 18.—Mr. Hoover announced today that he will support the Republicans at the elections. He describes the bulk of the Republican program as "constructive and progressive."

This apparently eliminates the possibility of Mr. Hoover's nomination as Democratic candidate for the Presidency.

McADOO DECLINES

New York, June 19.—Mr. McAdoo declines to allow his name to be put forward as candidate for the Presidency. He declares that this decision is irrevocable.

TURKS GAINING OVER ENGLISH IN ANATOLIA

Britain Accepts Offer Of Greek Aid Against "The Terrible Ones"

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 19.—Regarding the situation in Anatolia, Reuter learns that the Nationalists are extending their gains and growing in strength daily. They are now in occupation of the whole of Anatolia with the exception of the Ismid Peninsula and the Smyrna area.

The Nationalist forces are estimated to number, along the whole front from the Black Sea Coast to opposite the Gallipoli Peninsula, 17,500 regular troops and 19,500 irregulars. Large quantities of arms and ammunition are available from the interior of Asia Minor.

GREEKS ACCEPTED

London, June 20.—The Sunday Express learns that the Government has decided to accept the offer of M. Venizelos to send Greek troops to support the British in the Ismid zone.

A FREE HAND

London, June 21.—Reuter understands in connection with the decision of the Hythe conference to give the Greeks a free hand in Anatolia, that the share of the British and French Governments will be restricted to the defence of Constantinople and the Dardanelles.

The arrangement made at the first Hythe conference for payment of the French loan pari passu with the German indemnity has been found unworkable, and fresh proposals were discussed at the second Hythe conference, but the details have not yet been officially disclosed.

ANFU POWER WANES; TUAN YIELDS; CHIN WILL RETURN

All Demands Of Chihli Faction, Backed By Guns, Accepted

MARSHAL MEEK

Mukden Tuchun Planning To Oust Ministers, Is Report

TSAO KUN FACTOR

He And Fengtien Chief To Hold Conference At Paotingfu

BY NATHANIEL PEFFER
(*Staff Wire to The China Press*)

Peking, June 22.—Chin Yun-peng is certain to resume the premiership as the result of the demands he was forced to accede to when Chang Tso-lin visited him. It is reported also that General Chang also has demanded the removal from the cabinet of all the extreme Anfuites and that these will be replaced by his own adherents. Particularly in the important ministries of Finance, Communications and Education.

With Chang Tso-lin's faction in undoubted military control of the capital the situation undoubtedly is easier and the Anfuites are in the position of being obliged to yield on all points.

Another report is that negotiations looking to a compromise on a new basis involving dissolution of the Anfu organisation are being opened between Chang Tso-lin and Little Hsu.

(*Reuter's Service*)

Peking, June 22.—General Chang Tso-lin, impatient at General Tsao Kun's non-arrival, left for Paotingfu this morning. It is believed that he will succeed in inducing General Tsao Kun to return to Peking with him.

General Chang Tso-lin and Marshal Tuan Chi-jui met yesterday when Marshal Tuan Chi-jui, according to semi-official reports, gave the assurance that he would not oppose the return to office of Chin Yung-peng.

Tseng Yu-chun, the Minister of Communications, presiding at a large meeting of the members of the Anfu Club yesterday, stated that General Chang Tso-lin favored Chin Yung-peng as Premier but that the latter would not resume office, unless the members of the Anfu Club ceased to obstruct him. The general feeling at the meeting appeared to be in favor of the withdrawal of opposition to the Cabinet.

In the light of these negotiations, Chinese circles here believe that General Chang Tso-lin is dominating the political situation in Peking and that the Anfu Club will be content to salve as much as possible from the wreckage of their former control.

GENERAL CHANG'S MEETING WITH TUAN DRAMATIC

General Chang Tso-lin has apparently not yet given expression to any political views, but it is understood that he is in thorough agreement with the President.

The vernacular papers state that he has advised the President that if no compromise is reached in the Cabinet deadlock, the ministers of war, finance and communications should be replaced.

General Chang Tso-lin, the Fengtien Tuchun who is keeping the Anfu Club worrying for its safety, went to Tuanho to present his demands to Marshal Tuan Chi-jui in person Monday. He wanted Tuan to reconsider his decision to oppose the Chihli faction and the president. He wanted Tuan's opponent, Chin Yung-peng to resume the premiership. He returned on the same day.

Tuan had no alternative but to consent, saying that he was quite prepared to accept Chin as the premier provided the latter cares to take up the job. He denied that there is any opposition against the President or the Chihli party, but affixed the blame on Little Hsu.

CHIN WANTS TO QUIT

Chin, on the other hand, filed his fifth petition asking for retirement Monday. He set forth three reasons why he wants to resign. First, his indisposition. Second, the decline

in health of his parents and third, his own "straight-forward temperament," which, he says, "is the cause a great deal of friction with his opponents."

Chang Tso-lin, however, undertook to urge him to return despite his latest declaration. The conference in Tuanho was dramatic. Chang marched to Tuanho as a conquerer, as he marched to Peking. Chang's melo-dramatic attitude stood out in relief when the scene had been set by Tuan, apparently helpless Tuan was the defeated hero. He was crushed, whipped and afraid of the Japanese money behind Chang, knowing the value of it.

Tuan explained at great length his incapability to control Little Hsu, his overgrown lieutenant, and pointed out that all the misunderstanding caused between him and Chang was created by Little Hsu. In his conversation, however, he still sought to defend Little Hsu for his Mongolian conquests and Urga successes, which he said had made Hsu bolder than ever. Tuan flatly denied that there was any friction between him and Old Hsu.

LI IS HESITATING

Chang returns to Peking to wait for the arrival of Tsao Kun of Chihli and Li Shun of Kiangsu before he returns to Mukden. He expects to settle the Hunan and peace problems. Tuchun Li has not yet announced his decision to join the two Inspector-Generals, but it is understood that if he goes up, a similar post will be given him to control the Yangtsze Provinces.

While Li is hesitating to proceed to Peking, Ni Shih-chung, Anfu Tuchun of Anhui, has asked the President to be given a chance to be heard on his views on the political situation. He wants to go up to Peking. He wants to be among the President's trusted Tuchuns. A prompt refusal from Old Hsu has shattered all his hopes.

Ni has recently withdrawn all his troops from Hunan. Though a strong Anfuite, he acted like a true Chihli son and declared that the Hunan fracas was a local dispute. His troops were of course originally intended to be stationed in Hunan to fight the South.

CHANG IS UNEASY

The routed Hunan Tuchun, Chang Ching-yao, is again getting uneasy at the advance of Southern forces and has begged the Cabinet to be allowed to come up to Peking "to receive his reproaches." General Tan Yen-kai, the Southern Tuchun, has ordered the capture of Yochow, following the hesitation of Peking to remove Chang from the province.

In reply to Chang, the Cabinet scored him for his attempt to frame an excuse to abandon Yochow. It threatened that he would be court-martialled if he loses any more territory.

Both the United States Legation and the Japanese Legation have filed protests with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs against the damage and loss of lives of their respective residents in Yochow. The Japanese Minister is also claiming damages for the raid on the Wooling Maru, stripped of her belongings by Northern troops in Changsha.

REIMERT DEATH PROBED

Unofficial investigations have already begun concerning the death of the Rev. W. A. Reimert of the United States Reform Church at Yochow. He was shot by soldiers of the seventh division under command of Chang himself. The Central Government is sending an officer from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to conduct a thorough inquiry, while Tuchun Wang Chuan-yuan of Hupeh has ordered the Foreign Commissioner of Hankow, Hc Wei-hsien, to do the same.

General Wang has again asked to be relieved from the post of Inspector-General of the two Hu provinces. His appointment by Peking has already drawn a protest from Tsao Kun of Chihli, whose powers is alleged to have been infringed by the creation of the office. Tsao is Pacification Commissioner of the four provinces, Chihli, Honan, Shansi and Hunan.

Denies Receiving Call For Troops

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 19.—Lieut.-General Guchi Tanaka, the Minister for War, speaking before the members of the Upper House today, stated that, although the Foreign Office said that it had received a report from the Consul at Nikolaevsk, Mr. Ichida, on January 28 urging the necessity of despatching additional troops to Nikolaevsk, the War Office had not received a similar report and consequently the tragedy occurred. The War Ministry, he added, was prepared to face the responsibility.

NOTICE

On and after June 21st our rates for car hire will be:—

5 seater $4.00 per hour, $1.50 minimum

7 seater $5.00 per hour, $2.00 minimum

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21 Foochow Road
Tel. Central 2403.

Police Head Wins 'Y' Drive In Nanchang

YEN EN-YUNG

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Nanchang, June 18.—A great surprise greeted the leaders and workers of the first membership campaign in the local Y.M.C.A. when Police Commissioner Yen En-yung, captain of the Wei Ming team, announced on the last day of the drive that he had secured 214 members and $1,340 in fees as his part in the effort.

Among the members of this group were eleven men who paid fees of $50 each and two of $100 each.

During the two weeks that the campaign was in progress the commissioner maintained silence, disregarding all requests for reports, but working quietly among his friends and associates.

First prize was a beautiful silk scroll presented by the national committee of the Y.M.C.A. to the highest point winner, while the second was a kodak, given by the Commercial Press to the team worker securing the largest number of members.

Board Of 20 To Organise All Chinese Ratepayers

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means of organising a ratepayers' association.

After a discussion, the meeting passed a resolution to elect a committee of 20 to undertake the work of organising the ratepayers.

The personnel of the committee is as follows:

Dr. C. T. Wang, Mr. David Z. T. Yui, Dr. F. C. Tong, Mr. Chen Tse-ming, Mr. Pang Li-sung, Mr. Hsu Chien, Mr. Sun Han-chang, Mr. Tien Shih-ling, Mr. Chang Mou-seng, Mr. Chow Wei-leu, Mr. Yuan Ching-chu, Mr. Chang Hsian-san, Mr. Lu Wei-chang, Mr. Chu Kung-shih, Mr. Yu Yang-san, Mr. Wu Tse-hou, Mr. Chu Tse-huang, Mr. Kiang Hsian-pu, Mr. Yin Chi-sung and Mr. Hu Lu-sang.

Dye Company Wins Award In British Supreme Court

A decision awarding damages in the sum of Taels 30,301 with costs in the case of Tsing Yue Dyes and company versus Frederick Large and Company was handed down yesterday in favor of the plaintiff company by Judge Skinner Turner of the British Supreme Court. The suit was based upon alleged breach of contract for the sale and delivery of 50 tons of 20 percent indigo paste. Mr. W. S. Levinson represented the plaintiff company and Mr. M. Reader Harris appeared for the defense. The decision in substance follows:

JUDGMENT

His Lordship said:

On December 10, 1919, the plaintiffs and defendants entered into the following agreement:

Shanghai, December 10, 1919.

Contract made this December 10, 1919, between the Tsing Yue Dyes and Co., hereafter called the buyer, and the Fredk. Large and Co., hereafter called the seller.

The buyer agrees to take over 50 tons of cargo offered by the seller through their American correspondents and known to them as 20 percent Paste Indigo at Gold $0.84 per pound C.I.F.C. Shanghai.

The seller agrees to guarantee the quality to be the same as sample given, but accept no guarantee as to name being Indigo Paste or Substitute.

Shipment will be made within 30 days from Marseilles, but no guarantee is made as to date of delivery or arrival of cargo.

Duty and all Shanghai charges for buyer's account. The duty to be paid by buyer within 10 days after steamer's arrival.

Draft to be drawn at 90 days delivery against payment. Goods to be cleared before maturity of draft.

Force majeure to free the seller from all liability under this contract.

Subject to confirmation from New York, on or before December 18.

As witness hereunto sets the hands of both parties.

Signed V. C. Sung.

Signed, Frederick Large and Co.
H. Bernard.
American Department.

Witness B. C. Yier.
Witness C. W. Clin.

On December 18, 1919, the defendants sent the plaintiffs the following letter, at the same time getting the plaintiffs to sign their own copy:

December 18, 1919.
No. 134.

Messrs. The Tsing Yue Dyes Co.,
Shanghai.

Gentlemen.—We are in receipt of a telegraphic communication from our New York representative accepting our order for 50 tons of cargo, offered by them under the name of 20 percent Indigo Paste, at 84 cents per lb., c.i.f. and c, Shanghai, shipment to be made from Marseilles during January, 1920, in barrels of 375 lbs. to the barrel.

Terms of payment are to be made according to contract signed by you under date of December 10, 1919.

Kindly acknowledge confirmation, and oblige.

Very truly yours,
Frederick Large and Co.,
By H. V. Bernard.

I hereby confirm my agreement as per above letter received by me.
V. C. Sung.

Witness—Z. Johnson, C. W. Clin.

No goods have been delivered or tendered under this agreement and the plaintiffs now ask for damages. The agreement is an ordinary agreement for the purchase and sale of 50 tons 20 percent Indigo Paste, a sufficiently accurate mercantile description of the material. It was subject to two exceptions: (1) confirmation from New York by the seller and (2) force majeure. It cannot be doubted that the document of 18th December was, as far as the plaintiffs were concerned, confirmation of the agreement, it was so regarded by all parties and though in fact the telegram on which it was based did not come from New York and was not a confirmation, yet that position is not open to the defendants as against the plaintiffs in this case. No evidence or argument has been addressed to me on the point of force majeure: in fact it has been expressly abandoned in Court. I have therefore a contract and a breach, and the plaintiffs are entitled to damages, unless the defendants can show something to protect themselves outside the contract itself. This they endeavor to do by suggesting an implied term in the contract that it was to depend for its force upon ability of the defendants to get the stuff at all. They urge that it was a contract for the sake of a specific cargo of paste and that the parties never intended it to be effective unless the stuff could be got and they have failed to get it, although they have used their best endeavors.

It would be sufficient for me to say that I see no ground for thinking that this contract was subject to any such implied condition at all. It is a very important condition: it goes to the very root of the contract: it could have been easily put in the contract itself and certainly should have been: and Mr. Large himself says that had the position been the other way, he would have considered it safe to act upon this confirmation as the complete formation of the contract and resell. It was known to the defendants that this stuff was for resale by the plaintiffs and I cannot find anything to lead me to the conclusion that there was any such implied condition at all. The statement of the plaintiffs' manager that there was to be no contract if the goods did not come seems to me to be insufficient to carry the matter as far as it has been pressed. This is entirely unlike the Krele v. Hurry class of case. To my mind it more nearly approaches the facts in Blackburn Bobbin Co. v. Allen and Sons; in which McCardie J. went into the law relating to this contention very fully.

But as other points have been argued, I think I ought to deal with them. It is said that this was a sale of specific goods: i.e. of goods identified and agreed upon at the time of the contract. I do not so hold: it was a sale of 50 tons of 20 percent indigo paste to be shipped at Marseilles and that was all. It is true that it is called cargo offered through our American correspondents, but that is not enough. There is no statement of the origin of the goods and it is known that there are many places of manufacture of this article: there is no statement of the place where the goods are: in fact there is nothing to identify the goods at all. Then it is said the contract is dissolved because of the defendants' inability, notwithstanding all their efforts to get it. That is not impossibility in law: if so, no mercantile contract would be safe. No case has been quoted to me to show that the law has ever been so laid down: in all the cases in which impossibility has been held to dissolve a contract, it is a physical or legal impossibility that has stood in the way: in the absence of any agreement to the contrary. This case does not come within any doctrine that can be derived from the Tamplin case, Horlock v. Brat or any such case as quoted to me. Mere inability to perform has never been so held in the absence of agreement. Then in this case, no evidence has been given to me of any impossibility at all. The defendants say they could not get the stuff: that is all: the reason why is not proved. On every ground put forward to me therefore, I hold against the defendants.

One other matter remains to be determined: the date of the breach of this contract. The defendants were told on February 10 that there was difficulty in getting the stuff, but they never communicated this information in writing to the plaintiffs. In fact it was not until the letter of April 6 that a definite refusal in writing, to deliver was made. I think the plaintiffs must have been told of the difficulty in February: at all events in that month their legal representative wrote about this contract to the defendants, but I do not see that that constitutes any definite refusal of the defendants to complete. That did not come until the letter of April 6 and I think the plaintiffs are right in putting that as the date of the breach. Looked at in another way: the contract was for shipment Marseilles within 30 days from December 18: that would be by January 18 and allowing 2 months for the transit we arrive at March 18. So that the end of March or the beginning of April is arrived at again as the date of the breach.

There only remains the question of damages: the ordinary rule is that the measure of damages is the difference between the contract price and the market price on the day when the goods should have been delivered, or when no such date is fixed, when the defendants refused to deliver. In this case I have already found that date to be the end of March or the beginning of April. The plaintiffs have put in certain subcontracts made by them in January and have also called evidence as to the market price in March and April. I do not see how they can use the price as stated in the subcontracts: they were never communicated to the defendants: in fact they were never communicated to their own legal advisers till long after this case was begun. At the same time they have called evidence as to the market price at the date I have fixed and the defendants have called none. It is clear to me that some such evidence could have been called: three foreign firms have been mentioned as dealing in this stuff and none of them have been before me. I must therefore fix the market price from the materials before me. The contract price is agreed as Tls. 78.20 per picul plus 10 percent, Tls. 83.82, and on the evidence given me I fix the market price on the date named as being Tls. 120. The contract was for 840 piculs and the damages therefore amount to Tls. 30,391.20 and I give judgment for the plaintiffs for that amount and costs.

MELBOURNE STRIKE OVER

(*Reuter's Service*)

Melbourne, June 17.—The Municipal Council has granted the electricians an increase in wages of 3/6 a day and the strike is now at an end.

FIELD MEET AT CANTON

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Canton, June 19.—An athletic meeting will be held on June 22 and 23. Several hundreds of entries have been filed.

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CHANGSHA HAPPY, DESPITE INVASION

Correspondent Describes Conditions In City Twice Invaded

(*China Press Correspondent*)

Changsha, June 14.—The last few days have been ones of great excitement and anxiety and the city is now congratulating itself that it has passed through another change of government without any great loss of life or property.

The retreat of the Northern army commenced on the afternoon of Friday, June 11. That night a strict guard was set in the city and no one allowed on the streets and it is not yet quite clear what took place. A little after three o'clock the next morning those inhabitants who were asleep were awakened by a loud explosion in the Yamen and very soon the place was in flames. There were several other isolated fires but no general conflagration.

Daylight found the city entirely free from northern soldiers except for a few stragglers who tried to gain entrance into the Red Cross refuges.

RED CROSS PLANS

The Red Cross had arranged quite an extensive plan of caring for women and children in case of lawlessness in the city, and large numbers flocked to the refuges as soon as they were thrown open. As it turned out, however, there was no danger and the people returned to their homes during the next two days.

It is not yet quite clear how the Governor left. Some say he went by train, others by boat. One improbable tale that circulated was that he paid the commander of one of the Japanese gunboats $200,000 to take him away.

Another account, which sounds almost as improbable, was that he commandeered a Jardine Matheson launch and started down the river.

BRITISH GUNBOAT

The "lao dah" was very unwilling to go but, seeing no other way out, started off; but had the presence of mind to put his flag bottom-side up so that, the next morning, when they met a British gunboat coming up river, the gunboat stopped them to find what was the matter.

When they learned the state of affairs they told the Governor that he must return to Changsha with them or get off and walk. However, just at that moment a Chinese launch happened along and he continued his journey on this launch. Your correspondent cannot vouch for the truth of this tale.

Similar tales come from Siangtan telling how the Governor's brother, Chang Ching-tan, had been captured by the Southerners in various interesting manners and his body divided into small pieces and distributed among the troops. However, the foreigners in Siangtan report that he was not captured at all.

SOLDIERS ARRIVE

On Saturday morning various bands of soldiers materialised, claiming that they were Southern troops who had been in hiding during the occupation of Changsha by the Northerners. Some were armed with guns that had evidently been very recently dug out of the ground; others armed themselves with rifles which the Northerners had left in their hasty retreat.

There was a great deal of rifle shooting with very little apparent purpose during the day.

Toward night regular Southern soldiers who had marched from Siangtan during the day put in their appearance and took over the control of the city. There are reported to be between 2000 and 3,000 of these troops in the city at present.

New Parliament Convenes In North

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Vladivostok, June 21.—The new Parliament, comprising 108 members, was convened on Sunday evening in the presence of representatives of the consular corps, who crowded the theater in which the meeting was held.

The oldest member, M. Logovsky, occupied the chair and welcomed the members. M.M. Medvedieff and Nikiferoff, the heads of the Zemstvo Government, delivered long speeches to the Assembly.

M. Medvedieff stated that it was necessary to cease civil strife, to unite the Far East, to make a compromise with Ataman Semenoff, to aspire to join up with "Mother Russia" and to enable the Far East to remain Russian with the legal interests of foreigners respected.

He said that the Russians did not attempt to justify the Nikolaevsk incident. A committee was elected to verify credentials. The meeting which was orderly and business-like closed at nine o'clock.

SCOUT

Marconi Starting On Cruise To Hunt Mystery Wireless Signals

Signor Marconi, Italian wireless wizard, and Lady Marconi are shown here sailing from England on their yacht Elletra on an extended cruise, during which Marconi will attempt to discover the source of the mysterious "signals" received by wireless stations throughout the world. The real purpose of the cruise, however, is the testing of appliances for the wireless telephone and locating the exact position of a ship at sea by wireless. The latter appliance would enable vessels answering a distress signal to steam to the exact point of the ship which sent out the S. O. S. call.

MONEY REFORM IN SIBERIA IS NOW EXPLAINED

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makes up almost 50 percent of the issue.

During ten days from the time of official announcement of the reform, all the Kolchak paper money, as well as the paper money of the Provisional Government, the Liberty Loan obligations and the 5 percent state treasury obligations, must be exchanged for new money on terms of 200 of the above-named roubles for one new rouble.

The new reform is very popular with the people of all classes and groups. The Communists as well as the bourgoisie, are supporting the Government reform; demonstrating it by resolutions, in which it is being pointed out that the new money must be the only means of currency in Siberian territory.

MOSCOW APPROVES

The Moscow Government has sent a telegram to Vladivostok, sanctioning the reform and announcing the recognition of the new paper money. The same was done by the Verhne-udinsk Government.

The financial reform has discredited the yen, which was going up all the time and was constantly becoming the predominating means of currency in Siberian territory. Now the yen is rapidly coming down.

In a few days recently the yen came down from 3,000-2,500 to 500-300 roubles (old money).

In connection with new reform the Zemstvo Government has passed a law prohibiting any commercial transactions realised in foreign currency.

DETAILED ANSWERS

Vladivostok, June 18.—The following are explanations given by the manager of the Ministry of Finance, S. Andreeff, and the member of the committee on the currency reform, N. Izergia, at the conference of the foreign consuls and representatives of the foreign banks held in Vladivostok.

Question: Upon what principles has the proportion of 200 to 1 been made?

Answer: In view of the fact that the rate of exchange of the yen is equal to 2,000 roubles, the gold rouble has been made also equal to 2,000 roubles. Taking into consideration the correlation of the new paper money to the gold rouble, in the proportion of 10 to 1, the rate of exchange of the new rouble will be equal to 200 roubles in Siberian money.

Q: Where does the Government propose to keep its gold reserve? Where is the gold reserve kept now? How did it come into the possession of the Provisional Government? What measures have been taken to secure it? What is the right of the Government to dispose of it? Who keeps the guarding of the gold reserve?

IN THE VAULTS

A: The gold reserve and the platina are kept in the vault of the Blagoveschensk branch of the Government Bank. The gold reserve makes an insignificant part of the whole gold reserve of the Russian state, which was removed from Russia to Siberia. The Provisional Government has issued an announcement confirming the recognition of the currency reform by the Soviet Government. By this recognition the Soviet government has sanctioned our right to dispose of the local gold reserve. The silver is kept partly in the vault of the Government bank, partly in the cars under Japanese guard. The Japanese command has already given its assurances of its willingness to restore it to the Government in the near future.

Q: To what amount have the Kolchak roubles been issued?

A: There is no exact data as to the amount of paper money issued during Kolchak's administration. We defined it approximately in the sum of 18 billion roubles. To this amount five billion roubles issued by our Government and two billion roubles issued in the Amur provinces are to be added. Altogether some 25 billion roubles are to exempted from circulation.

HOW TO PROTECT IT

Q: Do you suppose that the further decrease in the rate of exchange of the rouble is possible? What measures do you think to take to prevent further reduction of the rouble?

A: So far we have no evidence to suggest the fall in the rate of exchange of the new paper money. On the contrary, the tendency is rather that this money is increasing in value.

Q: What is the proportion of the new paper money to the gold rouble?

A: The proportion is 10 paper roubles to one gold rouble. Foreign currency can even now be bought in some banks at the rate of R.9.50 and 9.25 for one yen.

Besides this the Government takes steps to conduct its export and import policy in the direction of attracting foreign capital and foreign currency into Siberia.

CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Q: Can the new paper money be exchanged into gold and silver?

A: This question has not been discussed in the Government; for, as a matter of fact, there is no such exchange in the other countries. The gold reserve renders a good security to the new paper money. In case the Consular Corps express its desire to send a delegation to investigate the gold reserve in the place where it is kept, the Government has nothing in particular against the sending of such delegation. As regards the exemption of the Siberian money abroad, this will be carried through the branches of the Russo-Asiatic Bank in Yokohama, Kobe and Shanghai.

SUSPEND PRICE LIST

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 19.—The decision of the Lancashire Sharebrokers' Association to suspend the price list for a month has created considerable surprise. One of the reasons adduced, is the desire to steady values.

WILL HOLD FAR EASTERN BAR MEETING HERE

Plans for the holding of the Far Eastern Bar Association annual conference next year in Shanghai will be formulated at a meeting of Chinese lawyers at the Yi Ping Shang Hotel on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The conference had its initial session in Manila last year and this year it was held in Tokio, where the decision was reached to have the coming convention in Shanghai.

The conference will take place early next April and delegates from all Oriental countries, including Japan, the Philippine Islands, Korea, India, Siam and Annam will attend.

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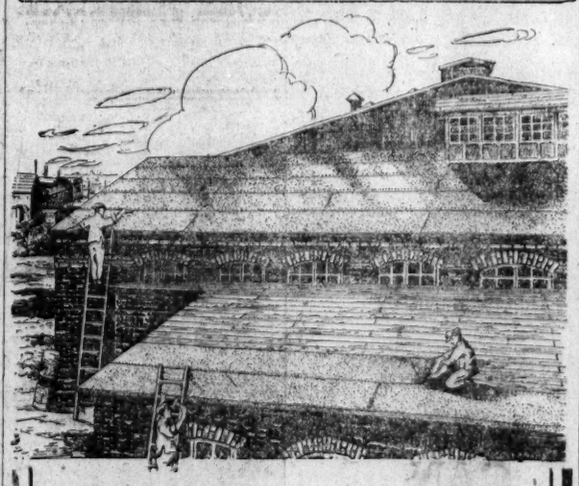

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RAILWAYS ARE CHINA'S NEED, SAYS WHITHAM

American Trade Commissioner Discusses Far East In Home Interview

Seattle, June 20.—China must have railroads, and she must have them with the aid of the United States. If this country is to have its proportionate share in the increased volume of business which will inevitably result from their construction, says Paul B. Whitham, U.S. Trade Commissioner who has headquarters at Peking it must help China.

Mr. Whitham says China's greatest need is more railways. There are but 6,500 miles of railway in the country, which serve almost exclusively the eastern coast, leaving the interior of the country almost entirely without transportation facilities.

"An investment of American and European capital in the building of railroads in the East," he says, "would open up a vast wealth of raw materials and would provide the means whereby the war debts of the world might be cleared away with new resources."

German Delegate Again Scorned At Seamen's Mee

(*Reuter's Service*)

Genoa, June 20.—The question o the appointment of Herr Doring as member of a committee of the Inter national Seamen's Conference cam up again today.

Mr. Havelock Wilson, M. P. declared that he could not allow Herr Doring to take part unless h expressed his regret for the Ger man submarine campaign and obtained an official assurance from the German Government that the sufferers from the campaign wou be indemnified.

Mr. Wilson's attitude was strongly supported by the seamen's d legates from other countries, espec ally from France, Belgium, Italy and Japan.

Wu Dialect School Ends First Tern

(*China Press Correspondent*)

Soochow, June 21.—The firs term of the Wu dialect schoo ended on June 19. This school was opened only last January by the Southern Methodist Mission, to meet the growing demand for a school to teach the Wu dialect to new missionaries. For administration purposes it is attached to Soochow University.

The methods of instruction are similar to those used at the Nanking language school. Twenty-three pupils have been enrolled during the term. They come from the American Presbyterian the London, the Y.M.C.A. the Y. W.C.A., and the Southern Methodist missions.

All who attended the closing exercises at five o'clock on Saturday are agreed that the school has already scored success, for the exercises were in Chinese, except one or two musical numbers, and afforded an opportunity to judge of the proficiency of the pupils in that language.

France To Improve Code With Colonie

(*Reuter's Service*)

Bordeaux, June 20.—M. Sarraut Minister of the Colonies, in the course of a speech here today, announced that a bill would be introduced in the Chamber to secure a state grant of 40,000,000,000 franc to improve communications between the colonies and the mother country.

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Striking "Sparks" Worry Britain

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 20.—There was a serious development in the strike of wireless operators yesterday.

The White Star liner, Belgic, and the American liner, Haverford, were preparing to leave Liverpool for America when a delegate of the Seamen's and Firemen's Union ordered the men ashore to refuse to work on the same ship as "blackleg" wireless operators.

MAURETAINA SAILS

In spite of the strike of her regular wireless operators, the Mauretania sailed from Southampton yesterday for America with three non-union operators.

Fears were entertained as to the attitude of the crew until the receipt of orders from the Joint Seafarers' Council, declaring that the strike was unauthorised by the Council and that all other unions must carry on.

KING FOR SAVINGS

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 20.—The King has sent a message to the Scottish Savings Conference at Aberdeen, in which His Majesty emphasised the value of the movement as an encouragement to thrift, which would increase the independence of the people and would materially assist the country to meet its financial burdens—the inevitable price of victory.

Sydney Enamored Of Prince Of Wales

(*Reuter's Service*)

Sydney, June 19.—The Prince of Wales was entertained at a State banquet at the Town Hall today. His Royal Highness met with a wonderful reception on his way to the Town Hall, the streets being blocked by the crowds within a radius of half a mile of the building.

The Labor Premier of New South Wales welcomed the Prince on behalf of the Government and the Labor Party as "a thorough democrat." The reception, on leaving the Town Hall, in which the crowd greeted the Prince, was one of the most remarkable scenes of the tour.

Boy Scouts Ready For London Meet

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 20.—It is understood that the Government are giving full approval and assistance to the scheme for an international meeting of boy scout organisations from all over the world which is to be held in London in August.

Contingents are being despatched from all the Dominions and America. The latter is despatching 300 boy scouts by warship. Contingents are also arriving from France, Scandinavia, Italy, Portugal Belgium, Holland, Spain, etc.

JAPANESE ASK CONCERNING THE WULING MARU

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, June 22.—It is officially announced that the Japanese consul at Changsha has approached the Chinese commanders there with reference to the looting by troops of the Wuling Maru, the murder of the N.K.K. submanager and the firing on the Japanese gunboat, Fushimi, demanding (1 that the corpse of the murdered Japanese shall be handed over.

Protection is to be assured to the persons receiving the body; investigations shall be made into the circumstances of the murder; safety of passage shall be granted to all boats in the river without molestation by the soldiers; the circumstances of the firing on the Fushimi shall be investigated and assurances given that there will be no repetition of the occurrence; and guarantees shall be given for the safety of the lives and property of Japanese.

The consul adds that he proposes to ask General Tan Yen-kai to give such guarantees and also to demand compensation for the loss of life and property and the punishment of the guilty soldiers.

News Brevities

The Rev. J. B. Ostergaard, the Y.M.C.A. secretary who has been active for the welfare of the returned Chinese laborers, left for Norway on the N.L.e yesterday.

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Mr. Hsu Yuan, the new Foreign Commissioner, will call on the foreign consuls Thursday.

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Mr. Tu Tsung, private secretary of General Lu Yung-hsiang and General Ho Fun-lin, who has been appointed Customs Superintendent for Hangchow, leaves today for his new post.

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The local Jewish association of theatrical artists intend giving a play entitled "The Sufferings of a Woman" on Thursday, at the Y.M.C.A.

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The graduating recital of Miss Chang Ming Sih and Miss Zung Sen Ling of the expression department of the McTyeire School will take place at the Moore Memorial Church, 21 Hankow Road, tomorrow evening.

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A Chinese cook was brought before the Mixed Court yesterday, on a charge of smuggling heroin. He was arrested in a richsa on Broadway and was found to be in possession of a handbag containing the drug up to the value of a large sum. He was sentenced to three months imprisonment by American Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Li.

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The Oriental Cotton Spinning company held a formal meeting yesterday at the offices of Arnhold Brothers, 6 Kiukiang Road, at which the liquidator was relieved from all responsibility.

Architect Dies In Tokio Week After His Wife's Demise

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, June 22.—The death has occurred here from paralysis, at the age of 68 years, of Mr. Josiah Conder, architect, a British resident in Tokio for forty years. Mr. Conder's wife died last week.

Mr. Conder was prominently identified with activities in the capital, especially freemasonry, the Overseas League, etc.

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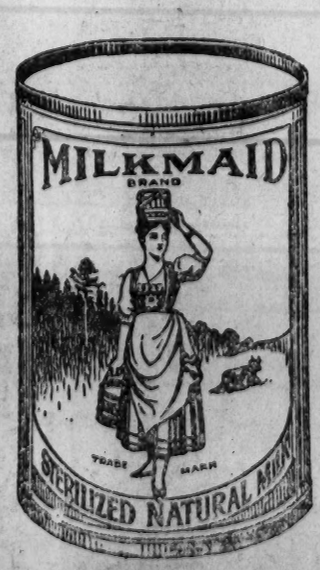

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Free Speech And Many Other Privileges To Be Revoked, Is Plan

("Russia" News Agency)

Vladivostok, June 18.—According to a proposal made by the Japanese Command, the political authority in the northern part of the Primorskaya (Maritime) district, with its center in the city of Khabarovsk, must submit to the following conditions which are to be carried through in the sphere of its influence in accordance with the agreement of April 29, concluded by the commander-in-chief of the Japanese expeditionary forces in Siberia and the Provisional Government in Vladivostok, if the Provisional Government approves of it.

1.—The aforementioned authority must put an end to all such activities which may cause any harm to the Japanese troops.

2.—No one, irrespective of position or occupation, can either conceal or keep arms or cartridges without the consent of the Japanese Command. Exception is to be made in the case of hunting pieces and revolvers with necessary sets of cartridges.

3.—This authority must warn Japanese Command of the arrival and departure of steamers.

4.—This authority must neither arrest nor detain any persons, no matter to which political party they may belong, for the crimes committed by them in the past; and it must guarantee the inviolability of their hearths.

NO PUBLIC MEETINGS

5.—This authority must not allow anyone to call meetings in the open air unless the Japanese Command has been informed of this 24 hours before the announcement to this effect has been issued.

6.—In case of necessity the Japanese Command may demand from the Russian post and telegraph administration that it submit the mail, as well as the despatches, to censorship; and the Russian authorities must comply with this demand, with a Japanese representative present.

7.—In case of necessity the Japanese Command may submit to control all the persons who come in or come out of the zone where the Japanese troops are billeted, and allow the Japanese Command to arrest all suspicious characters, on condition that it informs the Russian authorities of those arrested.

8.—The Japanese Command itself may arrest Russian citizens when the latter commit any crime directed against the Japanese troops, or the property belonging to them, or guarded by them, as well as in case when perpetrators may escape the trial. The Russian citizens thus arrested must be immediately delivered to the Russian authorities for trial.

MAY ARREST RUSSIANS

In the remaining cases the arrest of the Russians who commit crimes against the Japanese troops or their property is to be performed by the Russian authorities, either on their own initiative or on the notice of the Japanese Command.

9.—In case the Japanese Command receives authentic information that war materials or other articles which may cause harm to the Japanese troops are kept in private houses, government buildings, on trains, or on board the floating means of transportation, the Japanese Command addresses the Russian authorities; which, in the presence of a representative of the Japanese Command, must make search and, in case such articles are found, retain them.

10.—When the Russian authority in question is organised, the Japanese Command may not recognise the participation of such individual in the Government who, by word or deed, will interfere with friendship between Russia and Japan; and may protest against the participation of these individuals in the work of the government.

Americans Win Tennis Finals

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 20.—The finals of the London Lawn Tennis championship were played at Queen's Club today. The results were:

Singles.—Mr. Johnston (America) beat Mr. Tilden (America) 4/6, 6/2, 6/4.

Doubles.—Messrs. Johnston and Hilden (America) beat Messrs. Williams and Garland (America) 6/3, 6/4.

COTTON GUARANTEE

(Reuter's Service)

Brisbane, June 19.—The Ministry has decided to guarantee 5½d. per pound for good quality seed cotton, grown in Queensland before June 30, 1922.

American Stars Who Won Events At Penn Relay Games

Above—J. M. Watt
Below—W. Reynolds

E. Bradley.
INTERNATIONAL

The recent Penn relay games, at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, did much to considerably dampen the impression of American athletes that they would have a walk-over at Antwrep this Summer. The defeat of the American teams in the collegiate relay by the British team, clearly demonstrated that Uncle Sam will have to develop another Ted Meredith if America would figure in the middle distance events at the Olympics. One bright spot in the meet was the performance of J. M. Watt, of Cornell, who shattered the world's record in the 440-yard hurdles. Watt's time was 54 1-5 second, 2-5 second better than the old mark. E. Bradley, of Kansas University, captured first honors in the pentathlon, defeating Bartels, of Penn; Hamilton, of Missourie, and Younts, of Red Bank University, Cal., who finished in the order named. Reynolds, of the University of Pennsylvania, won the high jump event, clearing the bar at 6 feet ¼ inch.

Wet Skies Dampen Rifle Competition

The June monthly cup shoot of the Shanghai Rifle Association of he S. V. C. First Reserves, was planned for Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Ranges Bisley 200 and 300 yards, ad weather conditions the attendance was very poor and there was no cup competition. Pte. A. M. Collaco, "A1" class, Lieut. A. W. Studd, "A" class, Lieut. C. H. Ryde, "B" class and Pte. F. M. Cruz, "C" class were awarded one spoon each for maintaining the class percentage (56 percent, 49 percent, 42 percent and 38 percent). Following are the results.

Rank	Name	Yards 200-300	Total	Hcp.	Nett Score	Class
Pte.	A. M. Collaco	32-31	63	10%	56.70 (a)	"A1"
Lieut.	A. W. Studd	29-29	58	4%	55.68 (a)	"A"
Sergt.	P. Raeburn	26-23	49	10%	44.10	"A"
Lieut.	C. H. Ryde	21-22	43	0	43.00 (a)	"B"
Pte.	F. M. Cruz	22-29	51	0	51.00 (a)	"C"

(a) Winner of spoon and no leg on cup.

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Band Concert

The following program will be played, weather permitting, by the band in the Public Garden today, beginning at 5:30 p.m.:

March—Spick and Span .... Ansell
Overture—Crown Diamonds ..... Auber.
Waltz—Valse Parisienne .... Ganne
Selection—Ballo in Maschera ..... Verdi
Song—Land of Hope and Glory .... Elgar
Selection—Hawaiian Melodies .... Lake

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Tennis Finals Today If Weather Permits

The finals in the singles championship of the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association, postponed a week ago by reason of wet weather, will be played by Mrs. C. D Pearson and Mrs. J. E. Murray at 5 o'clock this afternoon on the courts of the Cercle Sportif Francais, if the weather permits.

PAINLEVE ARRIVES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 22.—M. Painleve arrive in Peking this morning.

Unclaimed Telegrams

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Whites Engage Blacks In Fight

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 20.—As a result of a serious conflict between white men and black sailors at Hull yesterday evening the contents of five houses were completely wrecked and sixteen men taken to hospital, one having been shot in the face.

The trouble was due to the increasing number of blacks seen in the company of white women. Two blacks have been arrested.

German Cabinet Almost Complete

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, June 19.—Herr Fehrenbach has practically completed a Cabinet, comprising members of the Center Party, Democrats and members of the People's Party.

The latter have not, apparently, abandoned their monarchist principles but have made a compromise with the Democrats, by which their monarchism is provisionally subordinated.

New Cotton Mill Open At Chengchow

(China Press Correspondent)

Hankow, June 22.—The official opening of the Yu Foong cotton mill at Chengchow, Honan, a city of between 40,000 and 50,000 population, situated about half way between Peking and Hankow, at the junction of the Peking-Hankow Railway and the Lunghai Railway, took place recently.

The Lunghai is the railroad that is planned to extend from Sianfu, Shensi and even farther west, to the port of Haichow on the east coast of China.

The mill has now 10,000 spindles in operation, but, when completed, 50,000 spindles and 1,200 looms and will employ about 4,500 workers. The machinery is of American manufacture and has been supplied and installed under the direction of Andersen, Meyer and Company, who have two foreign experts on the job.

A special car brought guests from Shanghai. A large number came from Kaifeng and other nearby cities and the local business firms, yamens, railway offices and other interests were well represented by both foreigners and Chinese.

Mixed Court Notes

Two Chinese arrested in connection with a charge of murder that was committed at 2041 Yangtszepoo Road in July, 1919, were brought before the Mixed Court yesterday for hearing. American Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Li remanded the case for a week. The accused men had been banished from Hongkong, the authorities were informed.

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A Chinese shroff accused of embezzling $3,000 and 100 hams from his employer, a pork merchant, was called for trial in the Mixed Court yesterday. American Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Kwan adjourned the case for a week.

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A dairyman, Phe Sz-zung, was fined $50 yesterday for adulterating milk. This was the fourth time the man had been before the Mixed Court on the same charge. It was shown that half the cream had been removed from the milk before it was delivered to his customers. The unique defense was that the fluid was deficient in butter fats because the cows on the dairy farm ate grass.

WOULD FAVOR CANTON

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, June 19.—An agitation for the establishment of the South-West University at Canton instead of at Shanghai is being raised by those who believe that the Military Government is really trying to establish the University and not making an effort to annex a portion of the Customs surplus. course of the day exchanged proposals and counter proposals with a view to reaching an agreement.

The assignment of the portfolio of Foreign Affairs has not yet been settled. The People's Party propose the Minister of Justice of Saxony for the post.

Berlin, June 17.—Herr Trimborn having been unsuccessful, Dr. Mayer, Charge d'Affaires in Paris, was then invited to form a Cabinet but also declined.

Berlin, June 18.—Here Fehrenbach, President of the National Assembly is attempting to form a Cabinet from the three parties which made up the old Coalition. The Social-Democrats have refused to take part but state that they will not oppose the Government unless it adopts an anti-Labor policy.

'Frisco Population Gains 21 Percent

San Francisco, May 8.—Unofficial reports from Washington, D. C., which are accepted as authorative, are to the effect that the 1920 census of San Francisco as determined by the Federal Census Bureau is 507,000. This is an increase of 21.6 percent over the census of 1910, when the population was 416,912. The actual increase in population according to these figures, is 90,088.

Numerically the increase in San Francisco's population is greater than in any preceding decade that the census has recorded since 1870, when the increase was 92,671.

Although hertofore San Francisco has been listed as the eleventh largest city in the United States, according to the census figures, it has been in reality the fifth largest city, for while Greater San Francisco does not exist politically, it does exist as a large metropolitan area with a population in excess of one million.

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Californians of Shanghai will meet at the Carlton at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon to arrange for the entertainment of the University of California Glee Club, which will arrive here tomorrow instead of Friday, as was originally announced. The Glee Club will be in Shanghai for but a day and a night and will sail Friday for Manila, to return in the middle of July for a stay here of a week in the course of which, in addition to the program of Glee Club performances to be given, the organisation's baseball team will meet the Shanghai Club in a series of games.

According to plans so far announced the visitors will be the guests of the Shanghai Rotary Club at tiffin tomorrow and in the afternoon a tea dance will be given at the Carlton. What diversions may be provided in the evening will be decided at the meeting today.

The date of the return of the Californians is not yet known definitely, but it is probable that they will be here the week of July 17-23.

Obituary

MR. G. W. PERKINS

(Reuter's Service)

New York, June 18.—The death is announced of Mr. George Walbridge Perkins, the well-known New York financier.

Mr. Perkins was a partner in the banking firm of J. P. Morgan and Company and was on the board of directors of the International Mercantile Marine Co., the United States Steel Corporation and several railroad and other companies.

George Walbridge Perkins was one of the best financiers of his time. Born in Chicago in January, 1862, he was educated at Worcester and the University of Vermont. He began his business career in Chicago in the life insurance business.

In 1901 Mr. Perkins became a partner in the banking firm of J. P. Morgan and Company, from which he retired in 1910. He was elected director of the International Merchantile Marine Company, the United States Steel Corporation, chairman of the finance committee of the International Harvester Company, and director of the East Coast Railway, Fla., trustee of Vassar College and a number of other important institutions, before his death.

He was one of the leaders of the Progressive Party which espoused the re-election of President Roosevelt in 1912.

SOUTH AFRICA PROHIBITS

(Reuter's Service)

Pretoria, June 19.—The South African Government has prohibited the export of coal and foodstuffs and fertilisers except under permit.

Graham Bushby Is Found Guilty When Given Jury Trial

A jury in the British supreme court yesterday found Graham Bushby guilty of wounding a sampan coolie with intent to do grievous bodily harm. The man admitted, at the trial, that he was under the influence of drugs at the time that he fired on the coolie, wounding him in the hip, and contended that he remembered nothing of the occurance.

Bushby and a companion were aboard a ship in the harbor, according to the story, and wanted to come ashore. They summoned a sampan coolie who failed to respond to their hail. Then the defendant fired and the coolie was seriously wounded.

Judge Skinner Turner reserved sentence.

"Red" Movement Begun In Persia

("Russia" New Agency)

Moscow, June 17.—A revolutionary government, similar to the Soviet form of government, has been organised in Persia. The revolutionary war council of the Persian "Red" army has sent its greetings to the "Red" army of Russia. It reads:

"Expressing its satisfaction with the victory of the Russian army, the revolutionary war council of Persia greets the fraternal alliance of both armies."

In his reply, Trotsky expresses on behalf of the Russian "Red" army his firm conviction that, under the leadership of this revolutionary war council, Persia will gain the right to enjoy its freedom, independence and brotherly labor.

READY FOR SCRIBES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 22.—An elaborate program has been prepared by the press, official and otherwise, for the reception of the party of journalists from Canton, who are expected to arrive in Tokio on June 26.

BRITISH IN DENMARK

(Reuter's Service)

Copenhagen, June 19.—A British squadron, including H. M. S. Hood and Tiger, has arrived here. They were enthusiastically received by the populace and the officers and men are being feted everywhere. There have been thousands of visitors to the Hood.

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St. John's Echo

The neglect of the things of the spirit is the subject of the editorial by Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott in the May number of the St. John's Echo, which has just reached us.

The author points to the great world war and the Chinese revolution as instances where an outburst of idealism was quickly succeeded by a tendency for materialism.

The greatest reform which China needs is psychical change in the soul of men, he said. Materialism must be overcome by idealism.

Mr. T. M. Tong contributes an article on St. John's alumni in the ministry, while "An Alumnus" has a treatise on the literary output of St. John's men, referring to such eminent writers as the Rev. P. N. Tsu, Dr. Y. Y. Tsu, Mr. M. T. Z. Tyau, Mr. Hawling L. Yen, Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, Mr. Pyau Ling, Mr. En-sai Tai, Mr. T. F. Soong, and Mr. S. C. Hung.

Mr. T. C. Shen, former secretary of the Western Returned Students' Union, and professor of political science at St. John's, has an article on "The Spirit of Democracy."

Mr. Peter C. Kiang writes on the esteem in which the Profession of Scientific Medicine is held in China.

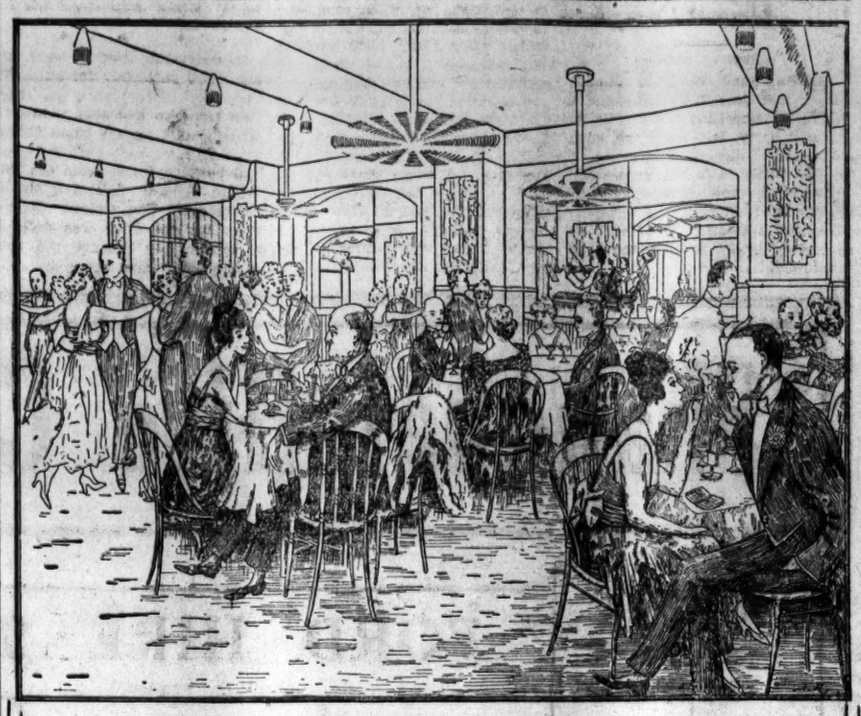
The news column by Mr. P. T. Zung; minutes of the Literary and Debating Society by Mr. Phen Van-sung; and Mr. D. H. Lee's contribution on the Opportunities for College Men in Live-stock Industry, complete the English section of the magazine.

The Chinese section is also ably gotten up.

FOLEY NOW CHEVALIER

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 19.—Mr. J. E. Foley has been created Chevalier of the French Legion of Honor for his services as director-general of Exploitation of the Chinese Eastern Railway.



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Palmer's Action Not Enough To Meet Emergency, He Tells Committee

Washington, May 14.—Herbert Hoover, appearing today before the Senate Educational and Labor Committee investigating the industrial situation, and later before a sub-committee of the House Judiciary Committee inquiring into the sugar shortage, gave his views as a citizen on these two important questions at present before Congress. The former Food Controller, now a candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination, was heard by large audiences at the session of both committees, the greatest interest being shown by the crowd that followed his testimony as to the high price of sugar.

In his appearance early in the day before the Senate Education and Labor Committee, Mr. Hoover told the Senate that, in his opinion, the best hope of settling the acute industrial and labor problems confronting the nation lies in the plan evolved by the President's second industrial conference. It may be recalled that Hoover served as Vice Chairman of that conference. In general, he described the plan as "voluntary settlement of industrial controversies through co-operative agreement."

Mr. Hoover appeared as the first of many witnesses the Senate committee will hear on the general subject of industrial and labor reconstruction problems.

He cautioned against the use of injunctions and other "means of repression" in dealing with strike and other labor disputes, declaring that such means did not settle, but only inflamed. He also warned against attempts to solve the whole problem by one great forward step or through adoption of revolutionary method.

"The problem must be solved step by step, and it will take time," he said. "I do not believe that the relationship between labor and capital can ever be settled by any form of legal repression, because that leads ultimately to the jail as a means of enforcement.

"Public opinion and good will are the forces we must depend on for enforcement of the right sort of settlements. Repression leads to the border of martyrdom and tends to make for compulsory employment and a compulsory wage.

RIGHT TO STRIKE

"No one doubts that the modern consolidation of the employers over large units of employes gives every justification and right for the organisation of the employes similarly into units for the exertion of equality in bargaining powers. Such organisation has a right to present its own representatives in bargaining. On the other hand there should be no compulsion to join such an organisation. The principle of individual freedom requires the open shop."

Senator Kenyon, Chairman of the committee, put to Mr. Hoover the direct question:

"If you were in Congress trying to solve this problem what would you do?

"I would endeavor to work out something like the plan evolved by the second Industrial Conference," replied Mr. Hoover. "It is a plan toward which there could be no righteous antagonism. The machinery which that plan proposes to set up avoids the dangers and pitfalls of compulsory arbitration and the denial of the right to strike. My opinion is that is the best step and the only step to be taken until the problem of relationship of workers and employers has developed further.

"Extremists on either side who propose radical steps will not settle the problem," he declared.

Mr. Hoover discussed the Kansas Industrial Court. He said it was clearly patterned after the Australian idea, which, he added, had not worked out so well as was expected of it.

"It would, in effect, substitute government control of industry for competition," said Mr. Hoover. "The Kansas act is an experiment that may be worth trying. My own opinion is that such a law cannot succeed."

INDUSTRIAL CODE NEEDED

"Do you not believe that an industrial code must be evolved as the foundation on which to build the structure of industrial peace and harmony?" asked Senator Kenyon.

"Ultimately there must be a code," replied Mr. Hoover, "but it must develop through experience, and not result from instantaneous legislative action. There are too many questions to which no rigid rule can be applied. Take the question of an eight-hour day. That is not a matter of universal application. In some industries eight hours is too long a day. The question of what constitutes a living wage is another variable one."

"Don't you think that we are in a new day, and that labor realises it?" continued Senator Kenyon.

"That is my firm belief," was the reply. "By and large, the employes of the country are looking for a position of right instead of a position of consideration; that is, they want their rights, instead of benevolence.

"We need the re-stimulation of creative instinct in industry, which has been deadened with the enlargement of industry. The mutual feeling of responsibility between employer and employe that prevailed in earlier days must be restored by some system of shop organisation. Unfortunately, that has been made more difficult because many workers have been wrongly prejudiced against any such idea."

Bonuses and like devices, he said, had come into disfavor with the workers, who had been led in some instances to suspect they were used to the detriment of the workers.

He vigorously opposed application in the United States of the Whitley shop council plan, in vogue in England. Nothing could be more dangerous than introduction of that plan here, he held.

Mr. Hoover said no one need fear the strike would become a political weapon in the United States, as it had in Europe. Workers here would not permit that, he said, as they had in fact demonstrated when urged to form a labor party.

CITES PALMER

Mr. Hoover, in appearing later at the hearing on sugar prices before a sub-committee of the House Judiciary Committee, urged the strengthening of the Lever act to permit the Government to regulate the sugar situation and limit the use of sugar to the essential industries. He said if sugar were used only by the essential industries, and its use restricted in the making of candy and soft drinks, the consuming public would have sufficient sugar at reasonable prices.

While Mr. Hoover was brought before the commmittee in the course of its investigation of the action of Attorney General Palmer in fixing a proper price on Louisiana sugar, he declined to criticise Mr. Palmer for that act. He did say, however, that this action might have influenced Cuban sugar men to increase their prices.

"If I had been dealing with that situation," asserted Mr. Hoover, "I should have purchased the Louisiana sugar from the producers through the Sugar Equalisation Board at a just price and either taken the loss or sold the sugar to luxury trades at an equalised price. Instead of handling that situation by legislative methods, I would have handled it by some other operation.

"I can see no reason why the Sugar Board should not have purchased that sugar," continued Mr. Hoover. "It would have been a small operation. Then the rise of the price of sugar would have been loss rapid. The price of Cuban sugar is not due to the fixing of the Louisiana price alone, but to a much wider situation of world shortage. Production of sugar in the Western Hemisphere increased steadily during the war. Consumption also increased, but not so greatly.

"There was some excess production in the Western hemisphere for exportation to Europe. But Europe has suffered a great decrease in beet sugar production, and there has been a great decrease in cane sugar production of the Eastern Hemisphere. Taking the world by and large, there is a very considerable shortage. No one can estimate the buying power of Europe, due to the fluctuating money values, and also because sugar is still rationed in some European countries. If Europe should restore normal consumption, there would be a profound shortage."

HOOVER PLAN

Asked to explain in greater detail how he would have dealt with the sugar situation, Mr. Hoover said:

"Last July I should have recommended to Congress that the Sugar Equalisation Board acquire the Cuban crop and that its powers over sugar be continued. If that had been accepted by Congress, it would have resulted in practically the same price as last year, and it would now be 12½ cents instead of 25 or 27 cents.

"In November, after opportunity to purchase the Cuban crop had been given by Congress, I should have taken the same measures as could be taken today. There are two directions in which something could be done. The whole of Europe and our own merchants are competing for sugar. The effect is to produce extraordinary prices. Some collaboration of action between the principal European Governments and our own, and with the Cuban Government, could be arranged to secure a proper price to Cuba and to suppress inordinate prices. I think the Cuban producers do not approve these price levels. They must stimulate the production of sugar and competition and create a situation that may be disastrous."

Mr. Hoover admitted that it would be a hard problem to keep down the price of sugar. He suggested, however, there should be international co-operation in the distribution of sugar to neutral markets. He thought that the present prices could be greatly reduced and speculation almost eliminated if the luxury trade were put on a rationing system. He included candy and soft drinks as among non-essentials.

LEGISLATION CALLED FOR

While he believed the Lever act could be used to place the luxury trade upon rations, he concluded that additional legislation would be needed to continue such regulations sufficiently long to make the system really effective.

The witness said that the consumption of sugar in the last year had increased greatly, due to the lack of regulations, and, in part, to prohibition.

"One cause of this increased use of sugar is the large prosperity of the country," he said, "but prohibition no doubt increased the use largely because of the greater manufacture of soft drinks. And I have no doubt that prohibition is a very material factor. There has been an ascending consumption of sugar for a great number of years, which in itself is a measure of a higher standard of living."

Mr. Hoover predicted that there would be a sugar shortage for at least two years, with high prices.

"But sugar at 15 or 16 cents a pound would stimulate all the production that would be necessary to overcome the expected shortage," he concluded.

BRITISH FIND GRANULITE

A Discovery Of Importance To The Country's Glass Industry

An important discovery of granulite, a material of first importance in the manufacture of glass, has been made on the northern borders of Dartmoor, near Okehampton, according to the American Chamber of Commerce in London. Granulite contains not only silica, but potash, soda and alumina, all of which are necessary in glass-making, and gives the best results in the production of glass of the highest quality.

Hitherto a certain amount of quarrying has been carried on by the local company, which has earned modest dividends by crushing the granulite and exporting it to Staffordshire, where it is used in enameling porcelain. The value of the material was well known, but the company had not been successful in inducing manufacturers to take it up. A syndicate has now been formed, says the American Chamber, two large furnaces are being built, and the manufacture of glass on a commercial scale will begin almost immediately. The promoters have high hopes of success, as it is stated there is a practically unlimited supply of granulite on the spot, and, in addition, the necessary power for driving machinery can be obtained from the River Ockment, which runs close by.

It is said that glass bottles and jars will be made cheaper here than anywhere in the world, as the cost of the material used on the spot will be only 15 shillings a ton, in comparison with a price of £2 a ton of the cheapest material ordinarily used. The material is reported as being specially suitable for the manufacture of cast and pressed glass articles and window glass. It is also of value in the manufacture of enameled metal ware and electrical non-conducting articles. Even the waste heaps can be turned to account, for the black stone, which was formerly considered only suitable for road metal, can now be used for making beer bottles.

The new company, points out the American Chamber, should not only be in a position to defy German and Austrian competition, or other foreign manufactures, but should be able to compete with them on favorable terms in the neutral markets of the world.

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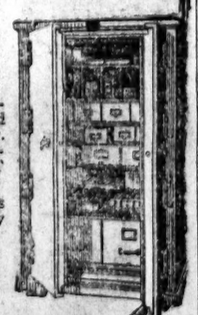

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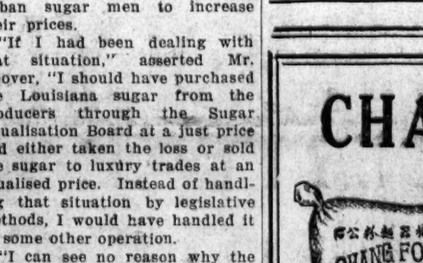

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WILL you please tell me if it is injurious to use these prepared depilatory powders or liquids for removing superfluous hair?—A. M. C.

If you always take the precaution to use only a reliable or standard preparation, that is vouched for by your druggist there is no reason why the skin should receive any injury from their constant use.

PLEASE give me a good remedy for dandruff; one that is sure to effect a cure.—C. G.

To remove dandruff wash the hair with this:

Yellow oxide of mercury	10 grains
Glycerine	1 dram
Alcohol	8 ounces

Don't forget that this is for external use only—it is POISON if swallowed.

I AM troubled with tiny, itchy warts on my neck. They are spreading rapidly and I now have quite a few. Will you let me know what to do for them?—M. S.

Those warts on your neck can be removed by repeated applications of this:

Salicylic acid	½ dram
Collodion	1 ounce

Be careful that none of this mixture touches the surrounding skin.

I AM much too stout and would like to be thinner. My husband won't let me diet. He is in favor of exercising, but this makes me very lame. My greatest trouble is a flabby abdomen, but all my flesh is soft.—ELIZABETH S.

Try to spend at least two hours every day walking in the open air. Eliminate all starchy and fattening foods, such as white bread, potatoes and too many sweet desserts. In your own room practice bending over until you can touch the floor with your finger tips. This will help to reduce your abdomen and waist line. Still another exercise that will not make you lame is to lie flat on your back on the bed with arms at your side. Then, keeping the legs straight, try to raise the body to a sitting position. Lying on the back and raising the legs to a vertical position without bending the knees is also good.

Household Helps

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CREAM and bread crumbs added to Hamburg steak will make it much more juicy and appetizing.

Hot Water in Bluing

IF bluing is mixed with hot water before adding to rinse water the clothes will not be streaked even if the water is hard.

Grating Lemons.

LEMONS will grate much more easily and quickly if allowed to stand in cold water for a little while first.

Keeping Cheese.

TO prevent cheese drying or molding wrap in a piece of cheesecloth or muslin that has been dipped in vinegar and put in a covered dish.

For Onion Stains.

ONION stains can be quickly removed from the hands by rubbing with a stick of celery.

Removing Grease Spots.

TO remove grease spots from carpets mix fuller's earth and magnesia together in equal proportions by scraping and pounding. Form this into a paste with hot water and spread on the spots. The next day brush it off and, if necessary, repeat the process.

Steaming a Velvet Garment.

HANG the garment on a hanger or dress form, fit a piece of rubber tubing to the spout of a tea kettle and train the steam on the material. With a light brushing, many spots will be removed and the freshness of the garment renewed.

Appetizing Menus for the Week

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Breakfast	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*
Cereal, Baked Apples with Bacon, Muffins, Coffee.	Oranges, Broiled Mackerel, Baked Potatoes, Toast, Coffee.	Apple Sauce, Bread Crumb Omelet, Toast, Coffee.	Baked Bananas, Frizzled Dried Beef, Coffee.	Stewed Prunes, French Toast, Corn Muffins, Jelly, Coffee.	Baked Apples, Cereal, Buckwheat Griddle Cakes, Syrup, Coffee.	Oatmeal, Canned Blueberry Muffins, Coffee.
Luncheon	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Dinner*
Creamed Asparagus, Baking Powder Biscuits, Fruit, Cocoa.	Split Pea Soup, Toast, Whole Wheat Bread and Jelly Sandwiches, Tea.	Cream of Tomato Soup, Sour Milk Waffles, Maple Syrup, Tea.	Corn Oysters, Garnish of Crisp Bacon, Steamed Potatoes, Fruit Puffs, Creamy Sauce.	Curried Vegetables, Rolls, Canned Peaches, Cookies, Tea.	Parsnip Stew (Onions, Potatoes and Pork), Apricot Whip, Tea.	Spinach Soup, Braised Ribs of Beef, Brown Sauce, Steamed Potatoes, Canned Fruit, Sponge Cake.
Dinner	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Supper*
Italian Spaghetti, Spinach, Thin Corn Bread, Fruit Sponge, Custard Sauce, Oatmeal Cookies, Coffee.	Calf's Liver Loaf, Tomato Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Cabbage Salad, Cranberry Pie, Coffee.	Smothered Pork Spare Ribs, Creamed Turnips, Baked Sweet Potatoes, Wafers, Coffee.	Corned Beef, Potatoes, Carrots, Brussels Sprouts, Deep Apple Pie, Cheese, Coffee.	Planked Shad, Mashed Potatoes, Green Peas, Radishes, Pineapple and Banana Salad, Coffee.	Corned Beef Hash, Tomato Catsup, Carrots, Greens, Doughnuts, Cocoa.	Oyster Plant Stew, Lemon Jelly Cake, Tea.

Tested Coffee Recipes

After-Dinner Coffee.

MAKE as boiled coffee or percolator coffee, using twice the quantity of coffee to the proportion of water.

Coffee and Cocoanut Jelly.

SOAK ½ box granulated gelatine in ½ cup cold water for 20 minutes. Then dissolve in 2 cups boiling hot coffee. Add ½ cup sugar and ½ cup shredded fresh or canned cocoanut. Turn into mold and chill. Serve with cream and sugar.

Coffee Custard.

SCALD 1 quart milk with 4 tablespoons coffee. Strain. Beat 6 eggs, add ½ cup sugar, ⅛ teaspoon salt and the strained milk. Flavor with ¼ to ½ teaspoon vanilla or almond. Pour into buttered custard cups, set in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven until firm.

Coffee Frappe.

BEAT 1 egg-white slightly and add to crushed egg shell (washed before breaking) ½ cup ground coffee and ½ cup cold water. Pour into freshly scalded coffee pot, add 1 quart boiling water and let boil 1 minute. Set on back of stove to simmer very gently for 10 minutes. Strain, add 1 cup sugar, cool and freeze to a mush, using equal parts of ice and salt. Serve in frappe glasses and garnish with whipped cream, sweetened and flavored. A few drops of vanilla or almond extract may be added just before freezing.

Vienna Coffee.

MAKE coffee by either the boiling or the percolator method and serve with whipped cream.

Percolator Coffee.

PUT freshly ground coffee in scalded percolator. Pour in 1 cup cold water to 2 tablespoons ground coffee for each person to be served and replace the glass top. Set on an asbestos or metal sheet over the fire, bring quickly to boiling point and boil 3 to 5 minutes.

Coffee Sauce for Ice Cream.

SCALD ½ cup freshly ground coffee with 1½ cups milk and let stand 20 minutes. Keep the lid on the boiler while scalding. Mix ½ cup sugar with ¾ tablespoon arrowroot (for thickening) and a few grains of salt. Gradually add a little of the strained milk and coffee infusion, mix well and add remaining hot liquid. Cook 5 minutes or more, stirring constantly.

Coffee Filling for Cakes.

DISSOLVE 1 cup of brown sugar in ¼ cup strong coffee mixed with ¼ cup cream. With piece of cheese cloth, wrung out of cold water, wash sides of saucepan to remove any grains of sugar. Cover and boil 3 minutes. Remove cover, with cheese cloth or with finger tips remove any grains of sugar from saucepan, and boil until mixture forms a soft ball when tried in cold water. Then add 1 tablespoon butter and heat well. Nuts may be added to the filling.

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Coffee Sauce for Puddings.

WASH and cream ½ cup butter. Gradually add 1½ cups sifted powdered sugar. When smooth and creamy beat in, drop by drop, a little strong coffee. Add enough coffee to color and flavor. Serve with puddings, souffles, etc

Coffee Bread Pudding.

SCALD 2 cups milk and add 1 cup stale cake crumbs and 2 cups cold coffee. Set aside for an hour. Then add ½ cup light-brown sugar, ½ teaspoon salt and ½ teaspoon vanilla. Add 1 or 2 slightly beaten eggs and pour into a buttered baking dish. Set in a pan of hot water and bake until firm in centre. A few chopped pecan nuts improve this pudding.

Coffee Parfait.

SCALD 1 cup milk with 3 tablespoons coffee. Keep lid on boiler while scalding to prevent escape of coffee aroma. Strain and add ½ cup caramelized sugar. Dissolve sugar thoroughly. Mix 3 egg yolks with ½ cup granulated sugar and ⅛ teaspoon salt and stir into the hot mixture. Stir constantly until the mixture thickens. Then add 1 cup rich milk or cream. Cool, strain if necessary, and add 2 cups thin cream and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Pack into half-pound baking powder cans, filling them to overflowing. Cover with waxed paper, adjust the can covers and pack in equal parts of ice and salt and allow to stand 3 hours. Carefully remove from mold and roll gently in finely chopped almonds which have been delicately browned in oven.

Your New Dress

FIRST, the design should be carefully considered and this should be controlled by what you need this special garment for. Whether for street, special dress or for all around wear makes all the difference in the world, says Mary Jane Rhoe, author of "The Dress You Wear." Then, the money you can afford to put in it is another consideration.

Never dress beyond your means. If carefully planned and bought one's wardrobe need not cost so much.

To be economical do not buy conspicuous material or use extreme styles. One or two garments a year of good material and well-made means being better dressed than if you buy five or six cheap half-made affairs.

When you have decided what your design is to be procure your pattern, read all the instructions, pin pattern up, try it on and make necessary alterations.

Select material, but do not buy until you find out just how much you will need, then you will neither buy too much nor too little. It is wise, however, to buy a little more than enough and have some left to alter your dress later on.

To determine how much material is needed measure a space on the floor or work table with half the width of the material you are to use, then place all the pieces of the pattern on this. Be sure to notice if the material has a nap and if so lay pattern on so nap runs all one way.

When you buy the material have it shrunken or shrink it yourself. In wool goods never pay any attention to the salesman who says it has been sponged and shrunken, as you are liable to meet with much trouble by so doing. A tailor always shrinks his material no matter what any one says.

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A student of a fine, high-class tailor in New York was trying to hurry. She was little more than a child and this had long been her ambition—to make beautiful tailored gowns and suits. She had often looked in the windows and watched the tailors work and how fast their hands flew, and, of course, she thought she must do the same.

But the kind-faced old tailor saw how nervously she was trying to hurry and realized what a mistake she was making. He came to her and said: "Little lady, we try here to see how well our work can be done; not how much we can do."

Be master of your work, become sure of yourself first, then practise speed. The beauty of the garment, whether its material is expensive or cheap, is in the construction.

About Your Feet

THE foot, physicians tell us, is a well constructed mechanism, capable of an immense amount of work if properly treated, and giving way with surprising ease to strain if badly treated. The inner side of the foot—the longitudinal arch—is the weak side; the outer border, resting on the ground, the strong side. Thus was created the transverse arch.

In correct walking the feet should be parallel to each other and the weight should fall chiefly on the outer side.

In selecting suitable footwear, Dr. Walter G. Elmer, a Philadelphia student of foot problems, advises tracing an outline of the foot with the weight upon it. The shoe should have a straight inner margin, a medium rounded toe, a square heel about one inch high for a man and one and one-half inches high for a woman. The shoe should be as wide as the foot across the ball, and for the adult three-quarters of an inch longer than the foot, and one-half inch longer for the child.

In cases of foot strain it is advised that the inner margin of the sole and heel should be raised 3-16 inch. In more advanced cases a steel shank should be put into the shank of the shoe and a pad of firm piano felt fastened in the shoe to support the hollow of the foot.

In cases of metatarsalgia this pad should be extended forward to support the metatarsal arch also, the support being just behind the heads of the second, third and fourth metatarsal bones, a little higher behind the third. The ball of the great toe and the ball of the little toe should rest upon the sole of the shoe.

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Shanghai, Tientsin, Peking, Singapore and Kuala Lumpur.

The Twenty-first Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in S. Moutrie and Co., Ltd., will be held at the office of the Company on Thursday, June 24th, 1920, at 5 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Friday, June 18th to Thursday, June 24th, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,

A. E. PAINE,
Acting Manager and Acting Secretary.

30270

National Loan of the Third Year Of the Republic (1914)

Subscribers to the above Loan are hereby notified that Redemption of the bonds drawn at Peking on the 9th June, 1920, will begin on the 30th June, 1920.

Payment in cash or its equivalent will be made at the Bank of China and Bank of Communications, or any of the branches of the above banks, and also at the Shanghai Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Bonds having as their two terminal numbers any of the following groups, viz., 09, 17, 22, 37, 50, 52, 59, 68, 76, 90, 95, are drawn bonds.

Cecil A. V. Bowra,
Officiating Inspector-General of Customs
ad interim.

INSPECTORATE GENERAL OF CUSTOMS,
Peking, 18th June, 1920.

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Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes

From this date, and during my absence, Mr. V. MEYNARD will act as Agent General of this Company for the East.

By Order of the Directors,

L. BRIDOU,
Agent General in the East
Shanghai, June 19th, 1920.

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Dr. Furstenberg M. D.

Specialist in urinary, venereal skin and internal diseases.

Hours 11-1 and 4-6 p.m.

25 Avenue Edward VII, Ben Building.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER

ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL

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CALIFORNIANS

NOTICE, All Californians resident in Shanghai are invited to meet at the Carlton Cafe today (Wednesday, June 23) at 5:15 p.m. to discuss arrangements for the entertainment of the University of California Glee Club, which arrives here next Friday and will be in port for one day and night.

(signed) G. A. ASHLEY.

Ministry of Communications of the Republic of China

Telegraph Material Supply Department.

1920 YEARLY TENDER.

Tenders are invited for the supply of various kinds of materials, wire, etc., for Telegraph use during the whole year.

All tenders shall close on the 20th of Aug., 1920. Conditions governing Tenders, Specifications, Requisition Sheets and other particulars may be obtained from the Head Office, No. 27, Markham Road, Shanghai, on payment of a fee of Mexican Dollars Ten ($10) which shall not be returnable.

E. H. GOW,
General Manager.

Shanghai, 17th June 1920.

30299

PROF. I. K. SETO.

Turkish Bath

and

Massage establishment

In connection with medical Department, cures rheumatism, nervousness, fat people reduced, also skin, veneral diseases and internal diseases. Room for patients.

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LOST

Bank Orders Nos. 12803 and 12804 for $100 each, due on 2nd day of 5th moon, also No. 12807 $1,000, due on 4th day of 5th moon, issued by the Tsin Sung Native Bank (晉生莊) have been lost. The public is notified not to negotiate or accept the above orders, as they have been declared to be null and void.

LIU SHEN-ZU
木濱柳舜時

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29129

THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION NOTICE

As the financial year of the Administration ends on the 30th instant, it is particularly requested that Creditors will present their accounts for payment *on or before that date.*

30274

Position Wanted

Competent and reliable business man, thoroughly experienced as executive in Far Eastern trade will consider offer of position as manager in any part of Far East for any thoroughly reliable trading business. Apply to Box 895, THE CHINA PRESS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Offices of the undernoted Companies have this day been removed to No 10 Canton Road:

Alma Estates, Limited.
The Bukit Toh Alang Rubber Estates, Limited.
The Cheng Rubber Estates, Limited.
The Shanghai Klebang Rubber Estate, Limited.
The Shanghai Seremban Rubber Estates, Limited.
The Senawang Rubber Estates Company, Limited.

By Order of the Boards of Directors
J. A. WATTIE & CO. LTD.
Secretaries.

Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

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Dr. R. Holper, M.D.

Specialist in venereal, urinary, skin and internal diseases.

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Office hours 11-1 and 4-6
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Piles guaranteed to be cured within ten days after one treatment without operation or pain.

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TO sub-let, five-roomed modern unfurnished house in French concession. Lease owner desires to board and room with party taking over lease, and has furniture for own room. Rent Tls. 90 per month. Apply to Box 1208, THE CHINA PRESS.

30408 J. 25

FOR RENT for July and August only, small house in the Northern District, screened, furnished, and with servants. Only well recommended and satisfactory tenant will be accepted. Apply to Box 1189, THE CHINA PRESS.

30374 J. 23

FOR RENT, Unzen, (near Nagasaki), large cottage, several bedrooms, rent Yen 300. For particulars, inquire L. J. Shafer, Nagasaki.

30381 J. 27

FULLY furnished house near Rifle Range, for five months, from September first. Only American tenants considered. State particulars of family. Apply to Box 1160, THE CHINA PRESS.

30327 J. 24

FULLY furnished house at Kuling, Lot 209. Price, $350 for season. Apply to C. L. Boynton, 20 Museum Road.

30327 J. 24

FURNISHED bungalow to let for six months. Situated in Wayside district, 15 minutes in tram-car from Bund. This is a detached residence, small garden in front. Two rooms, with bathroom and kitchen. Recently furnished and renovated. Water and electric light. Reference required. Apply to Box 1163, THE CHINA PRESS.

30332 J. 25

SITUATIONS WANTED

A refined young lady, perfect command of the Russian and German languages, wishes position as housekeeper or children's governess. Apply to Box 1202, THE CHINA PRESS.

30396

WANTED position in import firm by young American, previous experience. Apply to Box 1204, THE CHINA PRESS.

30398 J. 25

POSITION WANTED by first-class Chinese accountant; can guarantee his services to be satisfactory. Apply to Box 1211, THE CHINA PRESS.

30412 J. 23

YOUNG man, single, energetic, seeks position as clerk. Long experience in bookkeeping, import, corresponds in English and German. Apply to Box 1201, THE CHINA PRESS.

30394 J. 24

AMERICAN, college graduate, knowing French, Russian, German, Swedish and Finnish languages, desires position. Many years of general business experience, six years in executive capacity. Stenography and typewriting, fair knowledge of accounts. One year with American trading concern in Manchuria, where advertiser has handled correspondence, accounts, cabling, filing, translations, and for a time, sales. No geographical preference. Present contract expires this month. Please address offers: T. L. L., care of Millard's Review, Shanghai.

30392 J. 26

EXTRA work wanted by young man in any capacity in the afternoon. Experienced bookkeeper and good correspondent. Apply to Box 1190, THE CHINA PRESS.

30377 J. 24

SCHOOL boy, (Eurasian), seeks position in any capacity. Has knowledge of typewriting and speaks the local and Mandarin dialects fluently. Willing to work hard and quite honest. Apply to Box 1187, THE CHINA PRESS.

30370 J. 23

IRON Ore Mining, Railways, Ropeways, Buildings, Surveys, etc. British Engineer accustomed to responsibility and with large experience, requires post in China or elsewhere. Excellent testimonials. Ex-army man. Fluent Spanish. Would accept subordinate position to prove value. Apply to Box 1192, THE CHINA PRESS.

30379 J. 24

YOUNG AMERICAN, married, desires responsible position, college graduate, four years in China, speaks Chinese mandarin language, experience in salesmanship and managing lines. Apply to Box 1161, THE CHINA PRESS.

30330 J. 23

YOUNG AMERICAN, speaking Chinese (Mandarin) language fluently, done much interpreting, English, to Chinese, desires position. Apply to Box 1162, THE CHINA PRESS.

30330 J. 23

POSITION WANTED by young man as office assistant. Has thorough knowledge of bookkeeping and accountancy, typing and general office work. No objection to outport. Good references. Apply to Box 1155, THE CHINA PRESS.

30313 J. 23

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

BUILDING for rent, centrally located, ideal for offices. Large, roomy, solidly constructed building ready for occupation July 10th. Two floors, six rooms down-stairs and nine upstairs, modern plumbing and electric light fixtures throughout; telephones already installed. Rental only Tls. 600, five years lease. Detached brick godowns rear of building included. Arrangements can be made to examine premises immediately. Apply to Box 1210, THE CHINA PRESS.

30411 J. 24

OFFICES to let near Bund, four very large rooms, immediate occupation. Apply J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

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HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, Mokanshan, "Grand View House," comfortable, airy rooms, good table, house open for guests, 1st July. Apply 103 Bubbling Well Road, for particulars.

30341 J. 3

APARTMENTS

Connaught House
8 Quinsan Gardens
Board—Residence
Apply
MRS. G. POLLOCK.

TO LET with board July 1st large newly furnished, well ventilated, attic flat, comprising two large rooms, small room and modern bathroom suitable for two bachelors. Tennis court, Garage and Stabling. Apply to Box 1137, THE CHINA PRESS.

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ONE large room and one large attic, also small room with bath attached. Hot and cold water. Suitable for married couples or bachelors. Moderate prices. Table under the personal supervision of the American proprietress. Tel. North 1102. 30369

BOSTONIA, 61 Carter Road, Board-residence. Telephone west 883.

30399 J. 30

TO LET, furnished flat of two rooms, with bathroom and verandah attached, dining-room, kitchen and servants' quarters. Situated in the Northern district, Hongkew. Apply to Box 1203, THE CHINA PRESS.

30397 J. 23

TO LET, large double-room (bathroom attached), suitable for young married couple or two bachelors. Well-furnished, with board, in central district. Apply to Box 1195, THE CHINA PRESS.

30383 J. 26

TO LET for July and August, a well-furnished flat of three rooms, bathroom, kitchen, with servants, British or American preferred. Very moderate rental. Apply to Box 1194, THE CHINA PRESS.

30382 J. 24

TO LET, with immediate occupation, one large front room, with verandah and bathroom attached, hot and cold water. Also one small room. Apply 23, North Szechuen Road, Phone North 2654.

30391 J. 24

KULING, furnished room, private bath, veranda, board. American family. Suitable for two or three persons. Apply to Box 1170, THE CHINA PRESS.

30343 J. 23

HOUSES WANTED

1921: Unfurnished house wanted on long lease from January or March next. Five or six rooms, large garden, western district or French concession. Rental about Tls. 150. Reply to Box 1207, THE CHINA PRESS.

WANTED to rent, house four to six rooms, French concession or Bubbling Well Road district. Premium paid for sub-letting, or reward $50 given for information leading to lease of house. Apply to Box 1178, THE CHINA PRESS.

30360 J. 23

WANTED to rent house, French concession. Occupation November 1st, one year lease. Apply to Box 854, THE CHINA PRESS.

29943

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MINING ENGINEERING: In your own home you can receive complete training in Metal and Coal Mining Prospecting, Smelting, etc. I.C.S. Textbooks easy to study and apply in practice. Necessary supplies such as Blowpiping, Drawing Outfits, etc., carried in stock by China Agency for convenience of students. Write for information today. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, Chinese P. O. Box No. 1.

GENTLEMAN who gives violin tuition desires Russian lessons from young Russian lady. Please send terms to Box 1159, THE CHINA PRESS.

30323 J. 24

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED to rent, flat of three or four furnished or unfurnished room (two bedrooms, sitting and or dining-room), by two friends. Bachelors of quiet habits. Apply to Box 1205, THE CHINA PRESS.

30401 J. 29

AMERICAN lady, employed, desires room with bath, in private home. Apply to Box 1209, THE CHINA PRESS.

30409 J. 24

WANTED, two separate rooms and board, with private family, for mother and son. References exchanged. State terms, to Box No. 1200, THE CHINA PRESS.

30392 J. 23

SITUATIONS VACANT

PLEASANT EMPLOYMENT: One of our Courses in Commercial Illustrating, Newspaper Illustrating, Caricaturing and Cartooning, Magazine and Book Illustrating, Industrial Design, etc., will give you preparation for pleasant and well-paid employment. Increased use of advertising in China demands more Commercial Illustrators. I.C.S. Illustrating Courses include drawing outfits and materials needed. Send for interesting catalog. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, Chinese P. O. Box No. 1.

WANTED, Chinese typist. Reply to Box 1213, THE CHINA PRESS.

WANTED an efficient clerk, July 1st, used to export trade, keep books and typewrite well. State experience, nationality, references and salary required, to Box 1206, THE CHINA PRESS.

30402 J. 25

BRITISH firm requires foreigner, with a knowledge of paints and painting work, to take charge of large sign factory in Shanghai. State previous experience. Apply to Box 1197, THE CHINA PRESS.

30385 J. 24

ASSISTANT-bookkeeper required by British firm of shipowners and ship-brokers. A smart, conscientious man, with similar office experience and thorough knowledge of English. Applicants should state fully nationality, age, married or single, experience, salary required and date services available, to Box 1196, THE CHINA PRESS.

30384 J. 24

LARGE NEW YORK concern wants a salesman of good appearance, pleasing personality, and a live wire, capable of making $10,000 yearly. Apply to Box 1177, THE CHINA PRESS, giving experience.

30359 J. 23

ENGINEER WANTED; a competent technical man to take charge of the engineering department of an established American firm in Shanghai. Apply to Box 1183, THE CHINA PRESS.

30365 J. 23

EXPERIENCED accountant to take full charge of a system of accounts under foreign supervision. Apply to Box 1157, THE CHINA PRESS.

30320 J. 24

GODOWNS WANTED

WANTED, small godown in central district or Hongkew, for about one month. Reply to Box 1212, THE CHINA PRESS.

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30405 J. 23

FOR SALE, specialised collection of Macau and Timor stamps for sale. May be seen at Squires, Bingham Co. 17A Nanking Road.

30406

FOR SALE, one International Savings Society Bond. Paid $300. Accept $150. Apply to P-352 Nanking Road.

30400 J. 25

MONKEY WANTED, must be small, one accustomed to children preferred. Apply to Box 1193, THE CHINA PRESS.

30380 J. 24

FOR SALE, high class shop furniture, fittings and show stands. All made in Oak almost new. Apply to Box 1151, THE CHINA PRESS.

30304 J. 23

STAMPS "Far Eastern" Packet contains 110 different stamps from China, Hongkong, Japan, Macao, Philippines, Straits, etc., price $1. "Stamp Topics," a small monthly devoted to stamps, copy gratis. Squires, Bingham Co., No. 17A Nanking Road, Shanghai.

30300 J. 24

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

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Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

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Reserve Fund 3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,000,000

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C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital ..... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve ..... Frs. 50,000,000.00

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L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

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P. C. KONG.
Manager

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

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G. H. STITT,
Acting Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund.....	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	**Kup-Tls. 3,500,000**
Reserve Fund	**1,750,000**

Head office: PETROGRAD.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
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	Newchwang	Vladivostock
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Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

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Managers for Branches in Asia.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	**$60,000,000.00**
Paid-Up Capital	**$12,279,800.00**
Reserve Fund ...	**$1,298,522.60**
Special Reserve Fund	**$1,898,393.68**

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
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SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital ..Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves .....Fr. 12,027,956

Head office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
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President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangemements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed: £1,000,000
Capital paid up £850,000

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S.Francisco
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Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ...$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 435,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIH, Sub-Manager.
MENG GHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital and Surplus: $10,000,000
Undivided Profits: $500,000

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Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
ta Kiukiang Road.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 81,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

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Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
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Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
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Telephone: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephone: C. 2147, General Office.
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Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

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(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
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Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

J. J. Staargaard,
Acting Agent.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital..... 750,000
Reserve Fund..... 750,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

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Calcutta	(Calcutta)	New York
Colombo	Kandy	Penang
Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis
Galle	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Hongkonk	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
		Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
26 The Bund.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up .. „ 75,000,000
Reserve ..... „ 30,000,000
One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC
Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTI

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Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
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G. LION,
Manager.

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Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)

Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
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Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
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Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinatti

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manger
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

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Authorised Capital $2,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 200,000

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Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
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Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

R. CHENG,
Acting—Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on June 22, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	none
Cod	„	16-18
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	16-18
Pomfret	„	16-18
Salmon	„	20-24
Samli	„	30-40
Soles	„	14-16
Whitebait	„	none
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	60-80
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	15-17
Fowl	per lb.	24-28
Geese	„	70-90
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	16-18
Plover	each	none
Quail	„	none
Snipe	„	none
Teal	„	none
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	„	none
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	8-12
Apples	„	25-30
Bananas	„	7-8
Cherrier	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-6
Lichees	per lb.	20-22
Mangoes	each	none
Oranges	per dozen	$1.20-$1.40
Peaches	per lb.	8-10
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	8-10
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	18-20
Pineapples	„	8-10
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	8-10
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	8-10
Cabbage	each	3-5
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	none
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	per lb.	3-5
Green Corn	each	2-3
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	„	2-3
Parsnips	per bunch	3-8
Peas	per lb.	3-4
Potatoes	per pic.	$1.60-$2.00
Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	„	18-20
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	„	$4.50
Flour, Australian	„	$4.00
Flour, Shanghai,	„	$3.00
Rice	200 lb.	$11.60
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	10
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 17.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For Europe
Per M.M. s.s. Porthos June 24
Per P. and O. s.s. Karmala June 24

For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru June 25

For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Russia July 3

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per P.M. s.s. Colombia June 24

From Europe
Per P. & O. s.s. Devanha June 25

From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru June 23

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$620
Chartered	£80
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 395 B.
North China	Tls. 153
Union of Canton	Hk. 185 B.
Yangtsze	$245
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 19
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$128
Hongkong Fire	$305 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	$203 B.
Indo-China Pref.	$18
"Shell"	205/– S.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 50 B.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 35 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 18.65
Oriental Cons.	17/–
Raub	$1¼ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	Tls. 153½ B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 128
New Eng. Works	Tls. 25
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 150
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 86½ B
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 70 B.
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land	Tls. 63 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 8
S'hai Hotels Ltd.	Tls. 30 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 638
E-wo Pref	Tls. 77½
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 400
Oriental	Tls. 260
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 350
Kungyik	Tls. 63½
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 40
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 75
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 230 Sa.
Green Island	Tls. 6.90 S.
Langkats	Tls. 17
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 98
Stores	
Hall & Holts	Tls. 12½
Llewellyn	$30
Lane, Crawford	Tls. 80 B.
Moutrie	$35
Watson	Tls. 5.90 S.
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 5¾
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 8 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3¼ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 19 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.75
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2¼
Bute	Tls. 0.50 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.70 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4 B.
Cheng	Tls. 1½
Consolidated	Tls. 2.20 B.
Dominion	Tls. 5½
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 6
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12½ B.
Kamunting	Tls. 4 B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.25
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 7.60
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 3½
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 13 B.
Padang	Tls. 8
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1 B.
Permata	Tls. 4
Repah	Tls. 0.50
Samagaga	Tls. 0.70 B.
Seekee	Tls. 1½
Semambu	Tls. 0.80
Senawang	Tls. 4½
Shanghai Klebang	Tls. 0.50
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 10
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.10
Sungala	Tls. 6½ B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3¾
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.55
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.60
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 1
Taiping	Tls. 0.80
Tanah Merah	Tls. 15¾
Tebong	Tls. 2½
Tlobri	Tls. 6
Tiangbe	
Miscellaneous	
C. I & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 12
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 67
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 14 B
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 34
Shanghai Mercury	Tls 25
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 69
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 120 B.

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Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

OFFICIAL

Weeks $11.00
Kroewoeks Tls. 13.00

Sharebrokers' Association Transactions

Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

UNOFFICIAL

Consolidateds Tls. 2.20
Anglo Javas Tls. 8.00

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate, @ 5/1 = Tls. 3.93
@ exch. 73 = Mex. $5.39
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate, @ 101¼ = Tls. 0.99
@ exch. 73 = Mex. $1.35
Mex. Dollars Market Rate: 72.7125
Shanghai Gold Bars: 378 touch Tls. 235
Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111
Copper Cash ... per tael 190.000
Native Interest ..... Tls. 09

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 51½ d.
Bank Rate of Discount 7%
Ex., Paris on London .. Fr. 50.07
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.93

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	5/0
London	Demand	5/0¼
India	T.T.	269
Paris	T.T.	1250
Paris	Demand	1253
New York	T.T.	99½
New York	Demand	99¾
Hongkong	T.T.	73½
Japan	T.T.	52½
Batavia	T.T.	265
Singapore	T.T.	46¼

Bank's Buying Rates

London	Demand 5/2
London	4 m/s. Cdts. 5/4
London	4 m/s. Docy. 5/4¼
London	6 m/s. Cdts. 5/5¼
London	6 m/s. Docy. 5/5½
Paris	4 m/s. 1400
New York	o/d. Docy. 103
New York	4 m/s. Docy. 108¼

Opening rate 9:30 a.m. 5/1 T.T.

Tourists' Exchange

@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 5/2 = Sh. Tls. 38.71
G.$50 @ exch. 103 = Sh. Tls. 48.54
Fr. 250 @ exch. 1310 = Sh. Tls. 19.08

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" 100 ..... = Mex. $5.12

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Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles

Roubles 13,500 ..... = Tls. 100
" 100 ..... = Mex. $0.01

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying:	100	Old Roubles	$1.60
"	100	New "	98
Selling:	100	Old "	$1.70
"	100	New "	$1.05

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JUNE

Hk. Tls.	3.16	@ 5/8¾	£1
"	1	@ 1418	Fr. 15.80
"	0.31	@ 110¼	Gold $1
"	1	@ 47	Yen 2.37
"	1	@ 267½	Rs. 2.98
"	1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50

Hongkong Share Market

Hongkong, June 18.—The Market continues dull as money has not eased up to any great extent. No doubt a good deal of money has been released and the rate must fall pretty soon, if exchange rates keep low, but at present lenders are asking what can only be described as exorbitant rates. For this reason the market is quiet and the volume of business, outside of investment stocks, has been on a smaller scale than for some time past.

The position in Shanghai remains rather obscure owing to lack of advices on the subject, the rumors being that the June settlement is being tided over somehow, and has all been arranged for. Reliable quotations, however, are non-existent.

London continues dull, but there are signs of a slight revival of strength. The market having been weak in the beginning of the week due to further French liquidation, particularly in Oil shares. Cable delays are again unfortunately holding business up.

We give below the chief alterations since last week:

Hongkong Banks:—Have buyers at $655 after business at lower rates.

Unions:—Have again advanced and $200 has been done for cash.

Docks:—Are weaker with sellers offering to part at $152.

Shanghai Docks:—Have come to business at Tls. 131.

China Sugars:—Were artificially depressed in the beginning of the week, and as low as $224 was done for cash, but at the close due to "shorts" covering there is an unsatisfied demand at $231 for settlement delivery with $239 done for August.

Dairy Farms:—Are wanted at $24 and Ropes at $28.

Hongkong Lands:—Have come to business at $113.

Indo Chinas:—Have buyers at $207½.

Cantons:—Have again been done at $400.

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Minister Koo Leaves For U.S.A.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, June 21.—Mr. Wellington Koo left for America on June 18. Mr. Wei Chen-tsu, the Chinese Minister in Brussels, will take over the post of acting head of the Chinese Peace Delegation in Paris.

DELEGATION COMING

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Peking, June 21.—A delegation from Outer Mongolia will shortly arrive in Peking to discuss the reform of the official system in Outer Mongolia.

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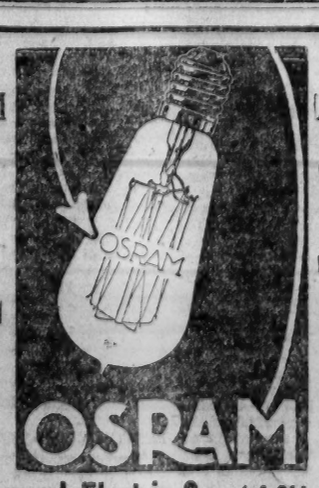

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No. 2715.

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WEATHER

The monsoon will continue to the South of the Yellow Sea. Light and variable breezes further North. Weather overcast and unsettled.

McAdoo Withdraws

DECISION by William G. McAdoo to withdraw his name from the list of democratic presidential possibilities comes as a surprise. And while at first it would seem to strike a blow at Democratic chances of victory, his withdrawal may easily turn out otherwise. Mr. McAdoo besides being President Wilson's son-in-law has been his right-hand man through both of his administrations and while he may be said to be lacking somewhat in the personal magnetism that makes for general popularity with the masses, he has proved himself to be a fearless and able fighter, by far the strongest man that has sat in a Wilson cabinet.

As secretary of the Treasury he originated the Federal Reserve Banking system which is now held to have proved the financial salvation of the country during the war. He also originated and drove through the Federal Farm Loan Act which took the farmers out of the hands of the usurers. When the question of American insurance for American ships became acute in 1914 he came to the front with a measure under which the Government did the insuring—and came out of it with a profit of several millions.

It was McAdoo who conceived the idea of the Liberty Loans, the direct appeal to the people which, as is now well understood, saved the government countless millions that would have gone to Wall Street in commissions, and at the same time raised more money than the bankers could have obtained following their old system. He also originated the War Risk Insurance Bureau.

When the government took over the railroads McAdoo was made Director-General. Not only was he secretary of the Treasury but at the same time he was Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, Chairman of the Farm Loan Board, Chairman of the War Finance Corporation, Director-General of Railroads, President of the International High Commission, Administrator of the War-Risk Insurance Act, Director of the Liberty Loan and War-Saving Stamp Campaigns, Chief of the National Public Health Service, and head or active worker in many more activities of similar character.

And throughout the war he made and safeguarded every loan to the Allied nations. It is a record of achievement. He is a business man, a financier and a statesman and that he has a large following is evidenced by the fact that he led all the Democratic possibilities in the straw vote taken by The Literary Digest. At the end of the fifth week in that poll he had 86,273 votes. President Wilson was second with 59,000, Gov. Edwards of New Jersey third with 55,000, Bryan fourth with 40,390 and Gov. Cox of Ohio fifth with 29,400.

His decision probably means that President Wilson has determined to make the race. Mr. McAdoo probably would not care to oppose the President but if the latter had definitely eliminated himself we do not doubt that McAdoo would have gone on with the fight.

Russia Is Not Dead

A curious picture of diplomatic rivalries, in a still more curious field, was presented in a Paris despatch from Mr. Walter Duranty published in The Times. Reporting the views held in influential military and political circles, he summed up the situation in the statement that "during the last nine months there has been a duel between France and England over the body of what was once the Tsar's Empire." The duel has literally taken the form of playing both ends against the middle, the British backing the new Baltic States in the northwest and the Caucasus Republics in the southeast, while the French support Poland. The successes of the Letts and Esthonians in maintaining their independence are regarded as British victories, while the Polish advance toward Kieff, resulting in its capture, is "a success for France." Similarly, when Azerbaijan and Georgia prove broken reeds under the British hand and Bolshevism swamps most of the Caucasus, French diplomats are cheerful because their rivals in the stripping of the Russian corpse have had a setback.

Perhaps the candid correspondent has stated in plain language what diplomats and Generals put into more polished form, but he represented a situation which actually exists. It is not to be supposed that all Britons or all Frenchmen feel this way about it; yet one remembers Mr. Lloyd George's speech of November 17, when he pointed out the advantage to England of a divided and weakened Russia. Now, if you are fighting a duel over a body, it is well first to be sure that it is really a dead body. Russia is not dead. It is held by the Bolsheviki for the moment; that control may not last very long, and if it ends there will be Russians who will have something to say about this matter of parting their raiment. And in the meantime these rival French and British statesmen are doing their very best to solidify Bolshevist control in Russia, to give the Bolsheviki an impregnable position as the defenders of Russian national unity.

To be sure, it seems to the outside world that this unity, as the Russians insist upon it, is somewhat factitious; aside from Poland and Finland, whose loss is conceded by non-Bolshevist Russians, there is certainly a well-developed national consciousness and a working national organisation in Latvia and Esthonia; and in the Ukraine there are enough people who think Ukrainian and not Russian to keep Petlura's army in the field. It is probable that most of these States would in time come back to some sort of federative organisation with Russia if they were let alone, but just at present they are set on independence, and the fear of Bolshevism gives them an excellent reason for this determination and a good claim on the assistance of Western Europe.

But when all these border peoples are taken away there is left a Russian mass of something more than a hundred million—temporarily crippled by civil war, proscriptions and the ruin wrought under an impossible economic order, but a hundred million strong none the less. This "residue-Russia" created by Ludendorff and sustained by French and British schemers is still powerful and still patriotic. One might suppose from the way they think in Paris that Russia was another Turkey; but Russia is not like Turkey, and even in Turkey Mustapha Kemal has shown us that the Sick Man's condition is not so bad as we had thought. The hundred million are angry and disillusioned; they regard the separation of the border peoples as revolt, and they have strong opinions as to the attitude of their recent allies who are helping these border States divide the spoil.

The dynasty which fell in 1917 was founded by a personage of no great importance, who came to the front as the national leader in just such a time as this. Michael Romanoff represented the reaction of Russian patriotism against the partition of the country, and this reaction was so strong that it restored Russia and eventually destroyed Poland. If Nicholas Lenin were a saner and wiser leader he might found a dynasty which would perhaps endure another 300 years, on the same principle; already Russians who hate Bolshevism have fought for his Government, not because it was Bolshevist but because it was Russian.

The border States have a good case and it is the part of wisdom to think of them; but caution advises that we also think of Russia. Amid the manifold errors of our own Russian policy the State Department has held steadfastly to one point which goes far to redeem them: it has recognised that Russia lives and will continue to live, and that the Russians are going to have something to say about the disposal of "the body of what was once the Tsar's Empire." In pursuance of that policy we have sometimes gone too far; we have refused that consideration of the border States which immediate interest, as well as principle, strongly requires; but at any rate we have not committed the fatal blunder of thinking that Russia has disappeared, or that a hundred million people can be disregarded because they are under a Bolshevist Government. France and England are doing all that Ludendorff could ask; they are driving Russia, under whatever government, into a German alliance whenever a German alliance becomes worth having. When Russia revives she will be a powerful friend and a terribly dangerous enemy; that might be profitably considered, and not in Warsaw alone.

Correspondence

WU CHAO-CHU REPLIES TO CANTON MANIFESTO

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: I suppose I must thank Mr. Wen Tsung-yao and his colleagues for not having dragged my father's name into the supposed division of spoils which they had the effrontery to fabricate in their manifesto handed to Reuter at Canton. As for me and the fine bargain for the legation in Washington, or in any other part of the world for that matter, I was offered a choice of any legation in 1917 by the Northern Militarists if I would advise my father to countersign the illegal mandate for the dissolution of Parliament, and this year I was offered the same thing, or in the alternative other lucrative posts, by a certain faction in Canton if I would ally myself with them. Neither offer was accepted.

The former incident was well known to Peking politicians and newspapers at the time; as for the latter, if Mr. Wen desires confirmation, he does not have to go far out of his way to get it. Perhaps that is the reason for the invention. As I had been foolish enough not to accept this very fine offer on their part, I must have received an equally tempting offer from the other side. It seems to be a congenital peculiarity with some people that they cannot imagine other people doing anything for any other object than that of gain in some shape or form.

Being confined in bed by a bad attack of tonsilitis, I have been unable to ascertain whether Dr. Sun and Mr. Tang will take the trouble to deny the obviously absurd fabrications about them. Fearing that if I do not give vent to my feelings, my recovery will be retarded, I have to conclude my letter, in the same manner in which I began it—with thanks—this time to you, Mr. Editor, for doing me a double service in giving publication to it. I am Yours truly,

WU CHAO-CHU.

Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

Prayer To Our Lady

Faith and charity can find few better or simpler expressions, says The Literary Digest, than this really Catholic poem published in a recent volume of English verse, "Skylark and Swallow" (Erskine Macdonald):

BY REV. R. L. GALES

Look kindly where poor people are.
Mary of Homes, keep trouble far.

Shelter beneath thy prayers' wings,
Mary of Roses, all young things.

Keep children warm through winds and rains
Of cold nights, Mary of Counterpanes.

Send us high skies, blue days and fair,
Mary of Swallows, bless the air.

All wandering men, abroad at night,
Mary of Candles, give them light.

Make a wide space behind their bars
For prisoners, Mary of the Stars,

Shed balm on aching eyes that weep
In woods of summer, Mary of Sleep.

Pray for me as I ring thy chimes
In my poor belfry, Mary of

Topics In Brief

Rails are back, but not the old brass rail.—*Wall Street Journal.*

Every year recently has been leap year for prices.—*Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.*

Polish Minister of Finance named Grabski was born for the job—*Wall Street Journal.*

We would ask spring poets kindly to bear in mind that the paper shortage is serious.—*Shreveport Times.*

Belshazzar As A Landlord

Babylonian Of Biblical Fame Revealed As Profiteer In Documents Deciphered At Yale

BY MAY BOSMAN
(*New York Times*)

King Nebuchadnezzar wrote letters, and three of them have turned up in the Yale Babylonian Collection, with several written by King Nabonidus and other lesser lights of Biblical and pre-Biblical history.

Professor Albert T. Clay, Curator of the Babylonian Section at Yale, has deciphered the letters and will issue the texts soon in ponderous blue and black volumes. The letters were found, with a multitude of other documents on clay, above the ruins of Warka, which represent all that is left of the ancient city of Erech, one of the four cities of Nimrods' kingdom (Genesis, x., 10). Erech is at the present writing one of the oldest cities known to very ancient history. But there is no surety of her holding the title! We are told that "only the surface of the earth has been scratched" in the search for buried records of the past, so at any time scholars may discover for us the archives of a city that has antedated Erech and her contemporaries by thousands of years.

BABYLONIAN LETTERS

The Warka letters, like all script documents of the Neo-Babylonian period, are baked or partly baked or merely sundried. Personal letters, especially, were only sun-dried. The sender scratched his message and laid the brick on the window sill to dry; or he dictated his morning's correspondence, and the amanuensis had a neat row of tablets outside drying in the ancient Asian sunshine. Two copies of each letter were made, in a business-like way. One was despatched by a slave or an employe, and the other was filed away in the sender's archives.

The letters just translated were "written so closely and in such a minute and crowded hand" that Clay and his associates had to use a lens in reading some of them. This seems to have been peculiarly true of the social letters found, those written by women or by men who had not turned the writing over to a secretary. Erasures are neatly done; a wet finger apparently was rubbed gently over a mistake, obliterating the scratches beneath. The mark still shows on the brick after three thousand and more years. In another collection deciphered some years ago children's exercise books were found in great quantity—tables of addition, subtraction, multiplication, spelling lists, etc.—and the erasures are not neatly done. The imprint of a child's thumb was often found clear and undimmed after three or four thousand years.

Many business letters in the collection from Erech were obviously "dictated and read." On the margin of a letter will be found, written in another hand "Omit. Mistake of scribe." Or a line is written in by a hand that did not indite the body of the letter, and it adds its own explanation, "Omitted by scribe."

A GOOD SECRETARY

The letters of King Nebuchadnezzar are singularly free from a correction of any sort. The King's private secretary seems to have been a very good one indeed. Nebuchadnezzar writes in a lordly tone, as might be expected. His epistles convey "the word of the King" to the chief of the temple of the god Marduk and concern the jurisdiction of temple matters. Nabonidus writes in like strain to Kurbanni-Marduk, a director or satamnu of the storehouse during his reign, and his letter, too, is a perfect example of the royal letter writer's art. One handling it finds it hard to believe that Nabonidus died (probably) about twenty-five hundred years ago.

Babylonian letters were put into envelopes before sending—nice fat clay ones. A lot of loose sand was then shaken in around the letter to protect it from scraping against the inside of the envelope and thus obliterating its message; the top was sealed with hot clay and stamped with a signet (usually) set in the sender's ring. In this latest lot to be deciphered many of the letters show that they have been incased, and not a few bear seal impressions and the remainders of envelopes still adhering to them.

Few of the letters are actually dated; the senders of others cannot be determined, for they were evidently sent by the hand of a family slave and the sender's name was not a necessary adjunct. Thus you and I, in writing the family, date our letter "Tuesday" and sign ourselves "Yours with love, Mary" or "John!" The future historian can make nothing of that.

But Professor Clay has determined approximate inclusive dates for the lot—from Kandalanum, a contemporary of Ashurbanipal, to Darius (522-486 B. C.)—by comparing the names contained in the letters with the names of many temple officials which have been deciphered in dated contracts and administrative documents.

The temple of a city in ancient Babylonia was the center not only of the religious life of the whole community but of their civil and commercial life as well. The temple was a close corporation. It owned and rented land and houses; it bought and sold real estate, live stock, grain and numerous other things; it lent money, constructed canals, conducted brickyards, took over the business of planting trees in the city. Its storehouse was a treasure trove. It employed hundreds of clerks and laborers and kept minute record of all transactions under its roof. Temple archives uncovered are mines of informative wealth.

The mines tapped by Professor Raymond Philip Dougherty of Goucher College in his transliterations have yielded 246 texts dating from 555 to 538 B. C., the majority coming from Erech, although a few are dated Babylon, Borsippa and Larsa, and they demonstrate the enormous volume of business done by the temples.

BELSHAZZAR AS LANDLORD

Belshazzar, the son of Nabonidus, took an active interest in the religious side of the temple. One tablet is a carefully drawn-up lease of temple land granted by Belshazzar and its annual rent was to be 5,000 measures of barley and 3,000 bundles of straw. Belshazzar stood on a footing of equality with his father, the King, in the matter of oaths taken at Erech, but he was still subject to the commands of his father, in true patriarchal fashion. In another tablet Belshazzar divides a field "at the command of the King." Evidently there has been a dispute, and the King has rendered his decision, to which even his son is subject.

A brief survey of the remaining tables shows a number of things: There are recipes for date wine and honey cakes; receipted bills for wool, sesame, revenue, furniture-making, purchase of slaves, making of bricks; there are records of men who have gone bond and gone bail for others, of taxes levied and raised, of bail demanded in a criminal action, of various court decisions: Men used iron hoes, then, and there were brewers and bakers and dressmakers.

A high tariff existed, to judge by the import duty on some barley delivered. Promissory notes were given, one being by a woman. (She paid on the date required by the note, too!)

Belshazzar stands out as a landed gentleman, whose rents and taxes might offer suggestions to landlords in A.D. 1920—and shame them for their modesty of demands.

But, indeed, Babylonian affairs often show a familiar face. From decipherments published by Yale previously, as well as from these latest ones, a preponderance of matter absurdly modern is revealed to us. In varied ways, your pre-biblican was more progressive than we; in others, he showed greater corruption—or perhaps we might say less restraint of power when he had it.

The temple of Erech had a sick benefit. Yale has a list of sick employes with wage formula in a second column. (Prof. Clarence Elwood Keiser, an associate of Prof. Clay, is responsible for the decipherment of this and similar documents from Erech, published some months ago.) It paid old age pensions. Moreover, it was paternally interested in the children of its employes, finding them berths in the temple itself when they were old enough to work, or apprenticing them outside.

EQUAL WAGES FOR WOMEN

Its women employes received wages equal to men in the same or equal positions. That women were advanced over men is betokened by a letter setting forth the discomfiture of a male temple employe who had been superseded.

A man was sometimes demoted. Temple lists for three consecutive years show the name of one such male demoted twice, while a female at the same task is promoted twice during the same period.

A Babylonian buying grain in the first millennium B. C. paid for it on delivery in bricks or money—if he had either lying around handy. If he could not do business on a "cash" basis, then he gave the temple his note and paid 33 1-3 percent interest on the debt. Erech has yielded Yale a clay note for five months at that rate.

While a man presumably of substance paid for commodities in money or grain or bricks—he may have had his choice—and was himself paid for anything he had to sell in the same way, a laborer seems to have been recompensed, usually, in money—as one to whom grain and bricks meant little. The temple built him a place to live in, and the State (i. e., the temple again) furnished him with a grain ration. One very large grain ration, presumably for an army, is recorded on a tablet at Yale.

Borrowing money was a painful operation. Twenty-five percent was a usual impost; higher rates appear. Heaven knows how high call money went on occasion on the Sumerian and Babylonian stock exchange as incorporated in the temple.

BUSINESS PROCEDURE

Many men of this time lived carefully and intelligently, as the finding of what were indubitably small libraries attests. Receipts were given when bills were paid, and these were filed away with household records of expenses, business correspondence, etc. At least one man in Babylon lived, or tried to live, by a budget system. No. 3,680 was found by Keiser to be the balanced household accounts of an individual—apparently the father of a family and the head of his own menage. His marginal notes point indisputably to a High Cost of Living problem in ancient Babylon.

Babylonians had calendars. They, too, were of clay, and now they are broken and earthy, but we cannot be sure that once they were not pretty, highly colored clay. The various centers of religion—a different one in every city, as we know—could not quite agree as to the number of days in a week and weeks in a month. Babylonia and Sumer-Akkadia were often badly twisted in their dates, just as New Yorkers today don't quite know what time it is beyond the commuters' horizon.

All the clay records of Babylonia found thus far are written in Sumerian cuneiform. This is true even of Semitic documents, and most of the actual barter of the temple was carried on by Semites. But the Jews of New York City today make their contracts and carry on their correspondence in the English language rather than in the Hebrew. It is expedient. Even so the Jews of Babylonia must have found it.

It is impossible, with the data so far unearthed, to tell when and where the Semites first used the Sumerian language. Very early, Sumeria became a dominant country and her tongue the medium of culture, religion and the law about her. Her languages remained when her glory of power had waned and in countries over which she no longer held sway. If we can picture an England crushed but with her language used throughout all the countries that had once been her possessions, we shall realise the peculiar pre-eminence of the Sumerian cuneiform script.

Perhaps the Semites had a script of their own, but as yet we do not know. Zimmern, a German archaeologist of note, thinks that the Penitential Psalms may represent translations from the Semitic Babylonian into pure Sumerian.

A SIDELIGHT ON FAITH

However, in the temples of Babylonia and Sumeria the scribes and priests transcribed all the books, and these books are always found in Sumerian. Professor Clay hazards a theory that it was done so that the lowly and pious Semitic could not understand too much of the temple's mysteries—wherefore his faith was greater. A parallel for this might be made for the mediaeval Church, where Latin was the only language in which the Bible was read and prayers said, although the lowly parishioners could not read or understand Latin.

Much credit for achievement and progress is given to the Sumerians because of this very situation of language, when it might well belong to the Jews. A thing is recorded in Sumerian, wherefore we call it Sumerian.

The Semites have always adapted themselves to the country in which they dwelt. In Cappadocia in 3000 B. C. the Jews used the Babylonian language and script. Later, a generation or two in Babylonia had completely Babylonianised them, and then the Babylonianised Jews were absorbed completely by the Akkadians. Professor Clay's contribution to this state of affairs, long admitted by scholars, is the assertion, recently made, that the Semitic elements in Babylonian and Sumerian culture are much more numerous than has been admitted. For some years we have conceded the ascendency of the Semites in the commerce of pre-biblical lands, but that is largely because their supremacy in money-getting throughout the ages has predisposed us to look upon them as merchants par excellence. Clay would give them far more credit for the part they played in the millenniums before the Old Testament was written.

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In all this study of cuneiform on bricks dug up from the ruins of buried cities, men like Clay and his fellows have wrested data of incalculable value solely on a foundation of personal names. That is, more than 100,000 personal names have been deciphered, and on them as a foundation a structure of history is being builded, piece by piece. Without the testimony of the Bible the structure would be useless.

And men of erudition in deciphering cuneiform feel that they are coming ever nearer to biblical premises of creation. All peoples, they now say, came from certain individual members of one family, as asserted in biblical lore. Archaeologists and philologists are narrowing down the derivative races.

Every fresh find in clay documents yields at least one new point of verification with the Bible and re-establishes several old ones. For instance, in very recent Babylonian excavations jars have been unearthed containing important records sealed in them. Jeremiah 14, xxxii., mentions such a practice.

Petrie and Bliss—Petrie is perhaps the best known of the older Assyriologists—excavated above the ruins of Tell-il-Hesy and identified the city buried there as one taken by Joshua and, according to Chronicles, fortified by Narbondius. Without the formative background of the Old Testament this site could not have been determined.

The collection of clay tablets and bricks in the Babylonian section of Yale University numbers now more than 10,000, and it is being steadily added to by judicious purchase. It is the second largest collection of Babylonian tablet records in the world. Oxford's being first. In the matter of undeciphered and unpublished material, Professor Clay makes for it the claim of the most important collection.

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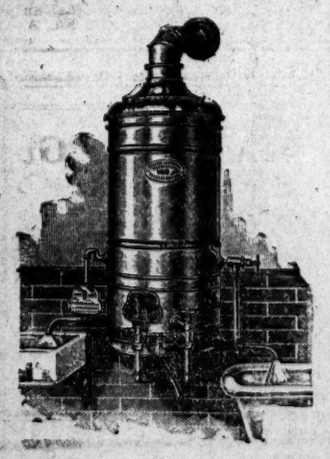

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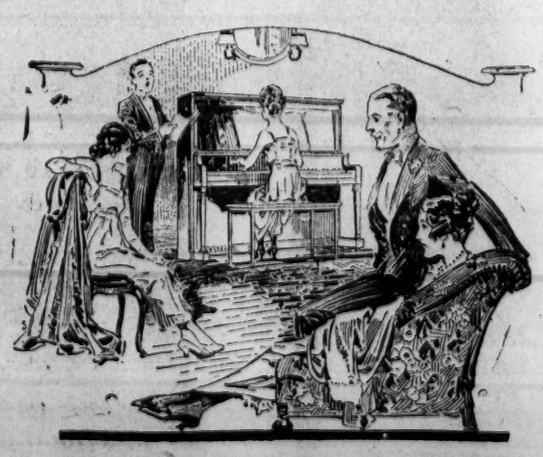

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How Country Life Broadens Spirit Of Man While Often Environment Narrows His Mental Vision

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

"In those days I saw Gods, as old men covered with a mantle, walking upon the earth." This imaginative sentence of Charles Lamb's is one of those glints of genius which, like Thoreau's lost turtle dove disappearing behind a cloud, seem sheer nonsense, or cryptic wisdom, or a burst of intellectual light, according to the mental quaity and mood of the reader.

To me in these warming Spring days it serves as an awakener of memory and an inducement to plead again the cause of the more and more widely abandoned country against the all-gulping city. The population of the cities will grow fast enough—they can take care of themselves in that regard; it is the waning population of the country—not the suburban country, which is a counterfeit, or at best an imitation, but the real country—that needs promotion.

It is in the country that the mind has its best chance for independent growth. There is more room for originality there than in the city. Cities recruit their best brains from the country. It is a richer sprouting ground for the mind, because it offers more suggestive and stimulant food to the imagination.

CITY LIFE NARROWING

The life of the city is too exclusively concentrated upon the least elevated human interests. In spite of its accumulation of the instruments of eduation—schools, colleges, museums, laboratories, theaters, clubs, industries, and activities of all kinds—the city is narrowing in its influence. The city man excels in keenness of edge; the country man, of equal intelligence, in genuine breadth of vision. The glare of city life, the fascination of its rush on the wings of money, its pleasures, indulgences, amusements, which turn night into day, and shut out the heavens as with a low-hanging canopy—a true Vanity Fair, or million-tenched circus tent—all this is not good for the highest development of humanity. It Christ had seen an over-grown, money-mad, pleasure-crazed, modern city, what parables it would have furnished.

The realistic genius of H. G. Wells has painted the horrors to which all this tends with a vividness that makes the reader shrink as from a nightmare in his "Story of the Days to Come." Reading that, for though a creation of fancy it is logical, makes a good corrective to over-fond contemplation of the bedizened charms of the myriad-tongued modern siren.

I appeal for the children. I wish it were possible for every child that comes into the world to be born far from the hum and the blaze of the cities. Medicine cannot give them, it they are born and brought up in a crowded town, the same foundation for bodily and mental health that country air and country life and scenery impart as a free bestowal. It is the trend of mind derived from country scenes and influences that I would particularly speak of.

Charles Lamb saw his "Gods" walking upon the earth, only in the country. Every impressionable child may see them there. They are companions of his imagination. It is they that magnify the hills around him into the heaven-scaling mountains he has read of. They are with him when he follows some rivulet, born from the melting snows of March, until it becomes for him a Nile or a Ganges, bordered with kingly cities, or an Amazon flowing through endless forests. It is they who send delicious shudders into his nerves when he hears the hollow roar of the little stream (so great in his mind!) as, passing under a fence, it plunges into a chasm of its own making, which appears to his fancy-fascinated senses as profound and awful as the cauldron at the cataract of Niagara.

WHAT CITY CHILD MISSES

The city school-child has no such visualisations of geography. Pan is unknown to him. He never meets the thousand varied forms of life that animate the country. He knows nothing of the wonders of the Summer clouds, the white domes of the cumuli piled miles high in the intense blue sky, mightier than a hundred Mount Blancs in one. He never has seen the conquering march of a thunderstorm, with banners of inky darkness, and glinting spears and sabres of lightning, sweeping majestically across a broad landscape. Yet these are things that awaken the imagination and furnish a store of imagery to the mind that will brighten it as long as life lasts.

City life is a continual feast that disgusts after a while by its fulsomeness and its conventional sameness; country life never satiates and is "dull" only to the dull in mind.

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A New Joan Of Arc

Professor McKeever Cites Accomplishments And Wishes There Were More Like Her

By Dr. Wm. A. McKeever

(Professor in the University of Kansus and a Well-Known Educator)

Boys, look here. I have found something else to make you duck your heads—a young, slender city girl who spent fourteen weeks on a farm during last season and made a remarkable record. As a diversion from common farm work she became an expert horseback rider and acquired locally the name of "Joan of Arc."

But I want to cite this girl for higher honors—as a "Joan of Arc" indeed, one called to lead a defeated and purposeless young generation out of the grime and smoke of the big city into the field and meadow, where there is a splendid possibility of present victory and future achievement for youth. Listen to the fragments of her story:

"Joined the Land Army for fourteen weeks of general farm work and dairying.

"Made up my mind from the start to make good, and so I did.

"Incidentally gained rugged health, a ruddy tan and fifteen pounds.

"Helped carry roots, weeds and stones off the soil.

"Helped plant potatoes, onions, carrots, beets, radishes, strawberries, peas, tomatoes, parsnips, lettuce.

"It was truly wonderful to watch things grow.

"Could not stay in the field all the time. So, as they wanted some one to take charge of the dairy I volunteered and had to make good.

"We had twenty-eight cows to milk and eighteen calves to look after. When I started milking my fingers and wrists pained me dreadfull, but I did not lose courage.

"Was finally able to milk fifteen cows in an hour and a half.

"This work had to be done Sundays, holidays, rain or shine, and I had to be up at 5 o'clock every morning.

"All the farmers wanted me to work in the fields, as I could manage a team and do all kinds of farm work. Even found haying easy."

Now, the foregoing are excerpts from the story of a city-girl farmerette. I should like to have it extended and embellished and then assign it as a classic to be read in every city high school and by every whining young chap who comes begging me personally to conduct him to a job on some "nice attractive farm."

I would assign it as a class exercise for fudge-eating, soft young do-nothings. I would like to appoint the young farmerette writer as vocational adviser and manager of an employment bureau for the weakling class named above and watch her put them to digging and hoeing and hauling hay and heaving stones, and milking fifteen cows, and getting out to work at 5 a.m., and being all-round worthwhile.

What a joy!

Bobbie And His Pa

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

Our teecher sed we shud rite sumthing about Balboa & I asked Pa who is Balboa & Pa sed Mister Balboa was a ex-plorer & that he found the Pacifick Oshun.

Dident nobody evver find it beefoar him, I sed.

A few Redmen mite have found it, sed Pa, but they dident tell anybody. Balboa toald the wurld what he had found, & if he had dent toald the wurld, sed Pa we wuddent now have the glorus state of Californy, & thare wuddent be any Native Sons, sed Pa.

Why doant nobody discover any oshuns now? I sed to Pa.

They have all been dug up, sed Pa. There is no corner of the wurld, if a round wurld may be sed to have a corner, sed Pa, wich has not been went oaver like a fine tooth comb by them explorers, sed Pa. I do not think thare are many corners of this here erth that I have not seen with these here two (2) eyes of mine sed Pa.

Have you saw the Pacifick Oshun? I sed.

I shud say as much, sed Pa I spent quite a lot of time out in Californy, sed Pa, in my yunger & speedier summers. It is a perfeckly good oshun, sed Pa, it has been used sum but it is as good as new. As I onst rote in a poem sed Pa, it rolls now just as it rolled at Creashun's dawn.

You & Mister Byron both rote the same line, then, sed Ma. How remarkabul that gate minds run the saim.

Did he rite that line? sed Pa.

He rote sumthing like this about the oshun, sed Ma:

Time rites no rinkels on thy azure brow.

Such as Creashun's Dawn bee held, thou rollest now.

Well, the old cuss! sed Pa To think he wud rite so neer the saim as I rite.

It is a littel strange, sed Ma You doant look a bit alike, eether. All the picters I evver saw of him, sed Ma, show that he must have been vary hansum.

Well, well, sed Pa, I like that I doant meen that you doant look quite good too, sed Ma, kind of quick, only you are moar broader & hevvier. Byron was slender like a birch tree, sed Ma. & you are moar like a sturdy Oak. He was a truly fassi-nating man, sed Ma. from all accounts.

Was he moar fass-i-nating than what I am, sed Pa.

Eeven moar than you, sed Ma. The ladies all thot he was divine, sed Ma. You are moar human, sed Ma, like a grocer or a banker or a ball player, sed Ma. You are rugged & he was delicate sed Ma. Bobbie has sum of his delicate buty, sed Ma, but Bobbie talks moar after my side of the fambly.

Well, sed Pa, I may not be fassnating to the fare sex now but in my day sed Pa, beleeve me, I was sum Byron with them.

Then Ma yawned & sed I am gitting sleepy.

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TIENTSIN direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. **Kwangping**, on **June 26**. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chenan**, Captain P. R. Purslow, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, June 26**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co's Steamer **Tungchow** Captain Harris, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, June 26**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The Steamer **Keelung Maru**, Capt. N. Kamizawa, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **June 28**, at ——— For Freight or Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKAK SHOSEN KAKISHA**. No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Nos. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Shuntien**, Capt. H. A. Walker, will leave from the French Bund on **Tuesday, June 29**, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

VLADIVOSTOK.—The Steamer **Shinyue** will be despatched for Vladivostok direct on or about **July 2**. For Freight or Passage apply to **L. V. LANG**, No. 8 French Bund. (Tel. Nos. Cen. 4702 and 3059).

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Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and mails on board the P. and O. s.s. Karmala will leave the Customs Jetty at 2 p.m.

Siccawei Weather Reports

21.—Pressure nearly levelled on the whole Far-East, with a slightly higher area in N Japan, lower on the Yellow sea. The summer monsoon prevails between the 20th and 30th the parallels; light breezes with numerous calms elsewhere. Weather overcast or cloudy but generally fine, in our Valley and at Formosa.

22.—Weather overcast misty and relatively cool. Moderadte South-easterly breezes. Pressure at the normal level.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 23	—	San Francisco	Western Cross	Am.	Adl. Line
June 24	—	Baltimore	Canibas	Am.	S. & Dix
June 25	—	Portland	West Navaria	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 25	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
June 26	—	Portland	Waban	Am.	Adl. Line
June 30	—	New York	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
June 30	—	Vancouver	Mattawa	Br.	C.P.O.S.
July 3	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
July 4	—	Baltimore v. P'ama	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix.
July 5	—	San Francisco	West Islip	Am.	S. & Dix.
July 11	—	Seattle, etc.	†Katori Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 12	—	Seattle	Maquan	Am.	A. T. Co.
July 12	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.N. Co
July 13	—	New York & Boston	Allowry	Am.	Adl Line
July 14	—	Seattle	Arcturus	Am.	S. & Dix
July 15	—	Baltimore v. Suez	West Mingo	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 17	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 18	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
July 20	—	San Francisco	West Catera	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 21	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 21	—	San Francisco	West Harts	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 23	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
July 25	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
July 30	—	San Francisco	Higho	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 31	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Aug. 14	—	San Francisco	West Cadron	Am.	Dollar Co.
Aug. 14	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 15	—	Baltimore v. Suez	Elkridge	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 22	—	Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Aug. 23	—	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 25	—	Seattle, etc.	†Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K
Oct. 19	—	Vancouver	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Sep. 12	—	Vancouver	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

June	23	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June	26	—	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
June	26	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June	29	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June	30	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	3	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	4	—	Kobe	Atsuta Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	6	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	7	—	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Lahore	Br. M.M. & Co.
July	7	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	9	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kokura Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July	18	—	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

June	23	—	London, etc.	Inaba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June	24	—	London	†Karmala	Br. M. M. & Co.
June	25	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie
June	26	—	Liverpool	Euryades	Br. B. & S.
July	1	—	L. A'dam, H'burg	Elpenor	Br. B. & S.
July	4	—	London, etc.	W. Hassayampa	Am. Adl. Line
July	5	—	London, etc.	†Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July	6	—	Liverpool, etc.	Tokiwa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July	5	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsushima Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July	10	—	Liverpool, ports	K. Templar	Br. B. & S.
July	10	—	Havre, Liverpool	Orestes	Br. B. & S.
July	10	—	Bombay	†Dilwara	Br. M. M. & Co.
July	11	—	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr. M. M. Cie
July	13	—	London	†Devanha	Br. M. M. & Co.
July	15	—	London	Pyrrhus	Br. B. & S.
July	18	—	Liverpool	Demodocus	Br. B. & S.
July	19	—	London, etc.	†Iyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July	26	—	London	†Lahore	Br. M. M. & Co.
Aug.	2	—	London, etc.	Prometheus	Br. B. & S.
Aug.	5	—	Havre & L'pool	Alcinous	Br. B. & S.
Aug.	6	—	London, etc.	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug.	7	—	London, etc.	†Jevnore	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug.	12	—	London, ports	Oanfa	Br. B. & S.
Aug.	19	—	Liverpool, etc.	Bellerophon	Br. B. & S.
Aug.	26	—	London, etc.	Protesilaus	Br. B. & S.
Sep.	16	—	Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
Sep.	16	—	G. M. & Liverpool	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

June	23	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
June	23	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi N.S.S.N. Co.
June	23	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	23	—	Hongkong, Canton	Taishun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June	23	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
June	24	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi N.S.S.N. Co.
June	24	D.L.	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
June	26	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Choysang	Br. J.M. & Co.
June	26	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
June	26	—	Manila, Hongkong	Colombia	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June	29	11.00*	Hongkong, Canton	Ichang	Br. B. & S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

June	23	—	Chefoo, Newchwang	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	23	4.00	Newchwang	Chinkiang	Br. B. & S.
June	23	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
June	24	4.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
June	26	D.L.	Tsingtau	Chenan	Br. B. & S.
June	26	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T.	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
June	26	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
June	29	10.00*	Tsingtau, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. S. M. R. Co.
June	29	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
July	2	—	Vladivostok	Shinyue	Chi. L.V. Lang

FOR RIVER PORTS

June	23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
June	24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi. J.M. & Co.
June	24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
June	25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June	25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
June	26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
June	27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
June	28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
June	29	11.00*	Pukow	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
June	29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June	29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br. J.M. & Co.
June	29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
June	30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June	30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosang	Br. J.M. & Co.
June	30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

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Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 4 and 5 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
4h. 45m.	6ft. 0in.	5h. 30m.	6ft. 2in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides),
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
4	6	4	34

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
11 56 a.m.	11 59 p.m.	4h. 57m.	7h. 5m.	4h. 12m.	7h. 50m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For June 29.73in
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S.S. "SHUNTIEN" ..... sails June 29th, 3 p.m.
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KOKURA MARU	5,000	Capt. S. Ito,	July 9

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

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OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Kishimoto,	July 7

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Date	From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Dec. 6	Chinwangtao	Indigirka	Rus.	R.V.F.
Jan. 21	Japan	Kitsue Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Mar. 19	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap.	Kaiyosha
Mar. 22		Chienan	Chi.	W. & Co.
May 12	Japan	Naotetsu Maru	Jap.	
May 20	Port Wallut	Simferopol	Rus.	R.V.F.
May 21	Hongkong	Kwangtee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 28	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 30	Japan	Tosa Maru 10	Jap.	
May 31	Manila	Raritan	Am.	
June 6	Vladivostok	Penza	Rus.	R. V. F.
June 6	Trieste	Persia	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
June 8	Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
June 10	Chinwangtao	Shinsei Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
June 14	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 14		Chungking	Chi.	
June 16	Hongkong	Aberces	Am.	Adl. Line
June 16	Liverpool, etc.	Pakling	Br.	B. & S.
June 17	Chinwangtao	Shunchong	Chi.	T.Y.S.S. Co.
June 17		Childar	Br.	
June 17	Chinwangtao	Irene	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 17	Hongkong	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 18	Cruise	Lukin	Chi.	Customs
June 18	Cruise	Chuentiao	Chi.	Customs
June 18	Japan	Yonan Maru	Jap.	
June 18	Cruise	Liubsing	Chi.	Customs
June 18	Seattle, etc.	Endicott	Am.	Adl. Line
June 19	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 19	Chefoo	Hwahkuei	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
June 19	Hongkong	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 19	Hankow	Hanping	Chi.	H. Y. P.
June 19	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 19	Pukow	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
June 19	Foochow	Kienhsin	Chi.	W. & Co.
June 19	Japan	Shiryu Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.
June 20	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 20	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
June 20	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 20	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
June 20	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
June 20	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
June 20	Hankow	Meinan	Am.	Socony.
June 20	Japan	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 21	Hongkong	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 21	Hongkong	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
June 21	Hongkong	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 21	Foochow	Shinping	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
June 21	Tientsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
June 21	Tientsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 21	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
June 21	Hankow, etc.	Suiyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
June 21		Hemishima M.	Jap.	
June 21		Natica	Br.	A.P. Co.
June 21	Keelung	Tamaye Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 21	Portland	West Navara	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 21	Chinwangtao	Hero	Br.	K.M.A.
June 21	Japan	Yeizan Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
June 21	Japan	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 22	Dairen	Wallowra	Br.	L. V. Lang
June 22	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Br.	K.M.A.
June 22	Japan	Shini Maru	Jap.	
June 22	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
June 22	Liverpool, etc.	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
June 22	Swatow	Chinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Klangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
June 22		Waban	Am.	Adl. Line
June 22	Hongkong	West Jessup	Am.	S. & Dix
June 22	Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M. S. K.

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 22	Japan	Kokura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 22	Pukow	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
June 22	New York	Wytheville	Am.	Adl. Line
June 22	Karatsu	Erivan	Rus.	R. V. F.
June 22	Chinwangtao	Taito Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.
June 22	Chinwangtao	Satsuki Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
June 22	Java ports	Tjibodas	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
June 22	Japan	Iyo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 22	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
June 22	San Francisco	Nile	Br.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 22	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

Arrivals

Date	From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 22	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Dairen	Wallowra	Br.	L. V. Lang
June 22	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Br.	K.M.A.
June 22	Japan	Shini Maru	Jap.	
June 22	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
June 22	Liverpool, etc.	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
June 22	Swatow	Chinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
June 22	Hongkong	Nile	Br.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Hankow, etc.	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
June 22		Waban	Am.	Adl. Line
June 22	Hongkong	West Jessup	Am.	S. & Dix
June 22	Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 22	Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco

West Cadron	May 21
Tascalusa	May 21
Venezuela	May 23
Satanta	May 25
China	May 26
Tenyo Maru	May 30
Nanking	June 6
Berwindmoor	June 7
Ecuador	June 19
Tancred	June 19
Nile	June 22

For Tacoma

Africa Maru	June 5

For Seattle

Kashima Maru	May 30
Fushimi Maru	June 19

For Portland

Wawalone	June 2

For Los Angeles

Vinita	June 6

For Vancouver

Empress of Japan ..	May 29
Empress of Asia	June 6
Monteagle	June 12

For New York

Persian Prince	May 22
Radnor	May 29
Lima Maru	June 4
Eurymachus	June 6
Alaska Maru	June 7
Bolton Castle	June 9
Slavic Prince	June 10

For London etc.

Glenade	May 23
Novara	May 23
Sado Maru	May 24
Delta	June 1
Teiresias	June 3
Kitano Maru	June 7
Lt. de la Tour	June 12
Nellore	June 14
Havre Maru	June 15
Helenus	June 21

For Liverpool

Kamakura Maru	May 26
Idomeneus	June 1

For Hamburg

Tsuruga Maru	June 17

For Marseilles

Peiho	May 30
Cordillere	May 30

For Trieste

Africa	May 28

For Calcutta

Japan	May 26
Madras	June 17
Gregory Apcar	June 21

For Java

Hwahting	June 4
Yannis	June 5

For Singapore

Telemachus	May 22
Naneric	June 4
West Hixton	June 12
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Palembang	June 16

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Esang, *Hongkong*	June 26
Feiching, *Foochow*	June 25
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	June 30
Haean, *Foochow*	June 26
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	June 23
Hsingkong, *Tientsin*	June 25
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	June 23
Hwahta, *Hankow*	June 28
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	June 27
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	June 36
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	June 29
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	June 25
Kutwo, *Hankow*	June 30
Loongwo, *Hankow*	June 24
Luenho, *Hankow*	June 26
Luenyi, *Hankow*	June 27
Polyphemus, *Liverpool*	June 26
Porthos, *Japan*	June 23
Poyang, *Hankow*	June 26
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	June 28
Shengking, *Hankow*	June 23
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	June 27
Singkiang, *Hongkong*	June 28
Suiwo, *Hankow*	June 27
Suiyang, *Hankow*	June 26
Tatung, *Hankow*	June 24
Toonan, *Newchwang*	June 25
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	June 33
Wosang, *Hankow*	June 28
Wuchang, *Hankow*	June 28
Yingchow, *Tsingtau*	June 24

Shipping Items

The C.N. s.s. Shengking left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The I.C. s.s. Hwahlee left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Talee Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Yohyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Tsingtau for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chekiang will leave Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Polyphemus, from Liverpool, left Singapore for Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Nanyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tsingtau today.

The I-C. s.s. Esang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Chefoo for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Newchwang for Chefoo and Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean will leave Foochow for Wenchow and Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai today.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala arrived at Woosung from Kobe yesterday evening and will sail for London and ports tomorrow. The tender Gutzlaff with outgoing passengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The P.M. s.s. Colombia, from San Francisco, left Kobe on Monday morning and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning and will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The Colombia sails for Manila and Hongkong on Friday.

The P. and O. s.s. Devanha from London, left Hongkong 6 a.m. Tuesday, and is expected to arrive Shanghai on Friday afternoon, the 25th June.

The P. and O. s.s. Lahore from London, is expected to leave Singapore on 27th June for Hongkong and Shanghai.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara from Bombay, is expected to leave Colombo on 21st June for Straits, Hongkong and Shanghai.

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New York, May 15.—The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in a unanimous opinion handed down yesterday, decided that the estate of Mrs. Hetty H. R. Green, who was a resident of Vermont, must pay a tax on $38,144,234, which sum counsel for the State Controller contended was used as her capital in doing business in this State at the time of her death. The tax will be more than $1,500,000.

The importance of the decision upon the tax on the estates of non-residents was emphasized last night by Eugene M. Travis, the State Controller, in his comment on the case. It would have an important bearing, he said, in computing the inheritance tax on the estate of William Waldorf Astor.

"The principle involved in this decision has a great effect upon property owned by non-residents and employed in this State," he said. "Since the Hetty Green decision of four years ago approximately $40,000,000 in taxes has been lost to the State from the estates of Henry M. Flagler, L. V. Harkness, James J. Hill, Henry C. Frick and others who were non-residents at the time of death."

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo for Kiukiang: Mrs. D. W. Lucas and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Gillingham, Misss Calt; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Drysdall, Rev. J Goforth, Capt. Lofgrer, Messrs. Wong Kokshan, B. C. Haile, W. R. Dunham, S. S. Roberts.

Per S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru for Dairen and Tsingtau: Mrs. H. Stromwell, Misses H. Schumlovitch, R. Crandel, Mstr. Geo. Fotiadis, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dorminigue, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. W. B. Christian and child, Mrs. E. Kamovoff, Messrs. Sthelos, Taranger, Smith, N. Love, H. C. Augustesen, Matse, I. R. Cruz, A. Zimmerman, Gynogsky, Aisenshtein, Liebowitch, J. McArthur, Elschin, D. N. Cocolis, A. Milikovsky, A. Rues, M. Greenfield, L. S. S. pafford, T. D. Schmit, P. Nojemiakin, C. L. Eenton, B. Podolsky, C. H. Meyers.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Kiukiang: Mrs. M. H. Throop, 2 children and 2 infants, Mme. Fano, 3 children and 2 infants, Mme. Lion and 3 children, Mme. Chapeaux and 3 children; for Hankow: Mrs. W. P. Roberts and infant, Mrs. Wooten and infant, Mrs. Ollerdessen and infant, Rev. Fathers F. Blowick, Galvih, McOlpin, Surg. Lt. John S. McGrath.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinchi for Foochow: Dr. W. R. Lacy, Misses Townsend, Cartwright, Dr. W. I. Chamberlain, Mr. Irvin.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru for Japan: Mr. and Mrs. T. Henderson, Messrs. F. H. Van Leer, C. Rand, M. Winteler, K. Brooke.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo from Hankow: Capt. Ross, Mr. Richardson.

Per S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru from Tsingtau and Dairen: Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Popoff, Mrs. A. Renaldo, Mrs. R. N. S. chusteovitch, Mrs. Ginsbourg, Mrs. Brakovsky, Miss M. W. Hall, Messrs. A. Paton, F. O. Reynold, A. Hollander, G. P. Rieffestahl, J. Biely, K. Korullond, B. Heiskanen, S. Garkovenko, F. C. F. Novik, R. Kozlovski, P. L. Due, C. Hansen, E. H. Heath, Trutneff.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Inaba Maru from Japan: Messrs. J. Guim Melet, Loius del Rosario, Y. Valdesco, J. Tanabe, Mrs. T. Tanable, Mrs. F. Furuizumi and child.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Upolu from Chinwangtao: Mr. W. T. Thornton.

Per C.M. s.s. Nile from Hongkong: Sir. Raymond Dennis, Messrs. W. E. Hobbs, Pun Kingwan, Lum King, Lum, T. Pei, Lam Woo, Gee Noon, P. Y. Lo, Kan Yuk-kai, Har Chung-chow, Ho King, Mrs. Kan Yuk-kai.

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